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GEOGHEGAN—June 11, 1919, at 21 Beechwood av., Londonderry, to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Geoghegan, a daughter.

GUILBRIDE—June 9, 1919, at 3 Nursing Home, Kendal, the wife of Captain F. Langford Guilbride, M.C., Royal Dublin Fusiliers, of Weston, Newtownberry, and Kampala, Uganda, of a son.

HEATLEY—June 6, 1919, at The Square, Ennis, Co. Clare, the wife of Robert Heatley, F.R.C.S., of a son.

PETIT—June 10, 1919, at 90 Malden rd., New Malden, Surrey, to Dr. and Mrs. C. Petit, a son.

TODD—June 11, 1919, at 89 Lower Baggot st., Dublin, the wife of Captain J. W. F. Todd, R.A.M.C., a son.

TONER—June 4, 1919, at Stephen st., Sligo, to Dr. and Mrs. T. P. Toner, a son.

WALKER—June 7, 1919, at 11 Sandford av., Dundrum, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Walker, a son.

MARRIAGES.

COATES and REHTON—June 12, 1919, at the Parish Church, Aghadowey, Co. Derry, by the Rev. S. E. Foot, B.A., T.C.D., Foster Coates, M.D., eldest son of Dr Stanley H. Coates, 5 Shaftesbury square, Belfast, to Janie Karolin Renton, Sen. Med. M.A., T.C.D., youngest daughter of Edward T. Renton, Seagorey House, Coleraine, Co. Derry, and late of Yeiki, Oustlong, Russia.

CRAWLEY-BOEVEY and DANIELL—June 3, 1919, at St. Margaret's, Westminster, by the Ven. Archdeacon W. Carnegie, Brevet Major Martin Crawley-Boevey, D.S.O., M.C., Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, to Elizabeth Adela Daniell, widow of Lieutenant-Colonel T. R. Daniell, D.S.O., Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, and daughter of the late Captain Roger Hall, D.L., of Narrow Water, Co. Down.

MORTON and COLMAN—June 4, 1919, at Christ Church, Leeson Park, by the Rev. Percy Phair, Ashley (late Royal Irish Rifles), son of Mr. and Mrs. George Morton, to Edith Emily Victoria (Rosemin), second daughter of the late Charles and Elizabeth Colman, and grand-daughter of the late Robert and Elizabeth Hamilton, both of Dublin.

DEATHS.

BUTLER—May 17, 1919, at Pietermaritzburg, Beauchamp Charles, second son of the late James Butler, Ballybur House, Carlow.

HANNA—May 26, 1919, at 1 Seaview ice., Clontarf, Dublin, of heart failure, Annie, eldest daughter of the late Daniel Hanna, C.E., of Belfast, Co. Antrim, and beloved sister of Henrietta Hanna, 1 Seaview ice., Clontarf. Interred in Clontarf Church-yard on 28th May, 1919.

HENRY—June 13, 1919, at Finnstown, Lucan, Flim, the dearly-loved and devoted wife of James Henry, late of Cookstown, Clondalkin. "Her children call her blessed." Funeral (private) to Tallaght on Monday.

KELLY—June 11, 1919, Eleanor Kelly, of Sunnyside, Upper Beechwood av. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral took place yesterday at Mount Jerome.

PIM—June 12, 1919, at his residence, 202 Great Brunswick st., James E. Pim. Funeral private. No flowers.

SCULLY—June 6, 1919, Amelia Eliza Scully, the dearly-loved wife of Vincent Scully, of Coolen, Co. Tipperary.

SMITH—May 29, 1919, at Colebrook, Double Bay, Sydney, N.S.W., Sophie, dearly-loved wife of James J. Smith, late of Sorrento, Dalkey, R.I.P.

TRACEY—June 13, 1919, at his residence, 13 Heytesbury st., Edward Tracey, aged 76 years. R.I.P. Funeral private.

WHITE—May 30, 1919, at his residence, Hove, Sussex, entered into rest, George (Surgeon-General, retired) White.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Miss Kempston and J. A. C. Kempston return sincere thanks to all their friends for sympathy and help in their recent great sorrow, and hope they will accept this acknowledgment, as it is impossible to reply to each individually.

MONTH'S MEMORY.

The Month's Memory Office and High Mass for the late **Dr. Allen, Mullingar,** will take place on Tuesday, June 17th, at the Cathedral, Mullingar, at 10 a.m.

EGAN—Month's Memory Office and Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Henry Egan, J.P., The Hall, Tullamore, will be celebrated in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore, on Monday, June 16th, at 11 o'clock (new time).

FLYNN—Office and High Mass for the repose of the soul of the late P. Flynn, J.P., will be held in St. Mary's Church, Castlecomer-Stoneyford, on Wednesday, June 18th, 1919, at 11 o'clock (new time). Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on him.

IN MEMORIAM.

COTTON—In sad and tender remembrance of our dearly-loved sister, Mary Elizabeth (Mennie), who died June 14th, 1918. R.I.P.

DELANEY—First Anniversary—In sad remembrance of Professor John Delaney, R.I.A.M., late Organist of the Sligo Cathedral, who departed this life on the 14th of June, 1918. Masses will be offered up for the happy repose of his soul at Whitefriar st. Church, Rathmines Church, and the Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar, to-day (Saturday).

REDMOND—In loving and undying memory of our beloved mother, Frances Maria Redmond, who died June 14th, 1916, at Avoca. Sweet Heart of Jesus, grant her eternal rest.

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And, Notice is hereby further given, that after the said 12th day of July, 1919, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to such claims as shall have been duly notified to them.
Dated this 9th day of June, 1919.
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ELIZABETH WOOLTON, late of Clonsy Quiss, in the County of Galway, Widow, Deceased.
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Mr. W. A. Watts' Stoke Bridge ..... Kirk 6 8 5
Mr. T. G. Fletcher's Ard Erin L. ..... Brabazon 3 8 3
Mr. Owen Toole's Tay Pay ..... Behan 5 8 0
Major Dixon's Forty-three ..... Hunter 5 7 11
Mr. H. D. Slocock's Discarded ..... Burke 4 7 10
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A Paris telegram, dated Friday, states—A lady aviator, Baronne la Roche, made a flight this afternoon in which she reached a height of 4,800 metres.

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Our Ennis Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—John O'Loughlen, herdsman to Mr. Glynn, a farmer in Carron district of north Clare, was admitted to Clare Infirmary last evening suffering from serious gunshot wounds in both legs. From a statement made by the injured man it appears he was nearing his own house in the early hours of Tuesday morning, when he was fired at. No arrest has been made, as he stated he was unable to recognise his assailant. O'Loughlen, who is an unmarried young man, had taken herding from which a man had been dismissed.

ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN HOSPITAL.

The usual monthly meeting of the Board of the Royal City of Dublin Hospital was held yesterday. Dr. M. Hacket-Douglas, D.L., in the chair. Also present: Sir Thomas Myles, Bart., Dr. Richard W. Booth, J.P., Dr. Gibbon Fitzsimon, F.R.C.S., Dr. Alfred R. Parsons, Mr. Thomas Sharpe, M.Inst.C.E., Mr. Alderman A. Atkinson and Mr. Joseph Robinson, B.L. Apologies for non-attendance were received from Cardinal Walsh, Mr. M. Cosgrave, Mr. Henry Dodgson, and the Right Hon. Sir William Goulding, Bart., D.L. In the report of the Finance Committee for May was read, recommending that the following accounts be passed:—Amount of Cheques for same, £3,331 14.3. Cheques for same, £3,331 14.3. Cheques for same, drawn, which leaves the bank account £6,662 0.6. The directors, having under consideration the question of reducing by every means in their power the above heavy overdraft, to be taken from the debit side of the balance of Bank—That the directors very much regret the view as to the serious financial position of this hospital, it is necessary to reduce the number of beds, and accordingly it is ordered that as soon as the annual operating ceiling which the beds will be in accordance with the usual practice, be reduced to 65, the remaining 65 beds, which represent the bed accommodation at any time, until further order of the directors, exceed 100, instead of the normal 165, and that the nursing and domestic staff be reduced in proportion to the number of beds, and that the staff will be absolutely necessary to be continued in view of the increase of income, and the directors earnestly appeal to the generous public with, as they have done in times past, ever to be the recipients of the generosity of the public, and to reduce the available number of beds. It is with the greatest regret that the directors have not yet done so, and finally send to their supporters as soon as possible. The directors would especially draw the attention of those resident in the Pembroke Township who are not contributors to the support of their hospital, and who receive the benefit of it for their servants, to help to wipe out the heavy overdraft of £7,000 odd. Let the generous public with, as they have done in times past, ever to be the recipients of the generosity of the public, and to reduce the available number of beds. It is with the greatest regret that the directors have not yet done so, and finally send to their supporters as soon as possible. The directors would especially draw the attention of those resident in the Pembroke Township who are not contributors to the support of their hospital, and who receive the benefit of it for their servants, to help to wipe out the heavy overdraft of £7,000 odd. Let shillings, and a year from mean a large increase in the number of subscribers, the Pembroke Township would contribute a considerable sum. Every effort to contemplating Parties who

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The moorland fires in Yorkshire continue unabated. In many places the peat to a depth of several inches is burning, and a heavy rainfall is needed to extinguish it.

A Paris telegram, dated Friday, states—A lady aviator, Baroness la Roche, made a flight this afternoon in which she reached a height of 4,800 metres.

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Illustrated Prospectus, etc., from the Principals, Miss Irene O'Brien, Miss Irene O'Brien, who has studied with Madame Barrachin in Florence, will sing songs by Tosti, Respighi, Brogi, Tirindelli, Saint-Saëns, Bernberg, Cadman, Cyril Scott, and M. V. White. Dr. Kenneth Grear, who is coming to Dublin specially for this concert, will contribute songs by Roger Quilter, Aikin, Stanford, and Vaughan Williams. Mr. Herbert Jones, of the Queen's Hall and Covent Garden Opera crossroad, will play pieces by Fischer, Fauré, Tengalia, and Dunkler. Mr. C. W. Wilson will act as accompanist.

Miss Grace O'Brien, whose piano recital at the Gaiety Theatre a few months ago attracted so much attention and drew such a large and appreciative audience, is about to give a recital in London. She is playing at the Æolian Hall, New Bond street, on the afternoon of Thursday, the 19th inst.

The Dublin branch of the British Empire Shakespeare Society announces that its five two opera-tic performances of "Love's Labour's Lost" in Lord Iveagh's Gardens, St. Stephen's green (by kind permission of Viscount Iveagh) on Monday, June 30th, at 2.30 and 8 p.m. These performances will be in aid of two very deserving Dublin institutions—the Royal Hospital Sick Children's and Mercer's Hospital. Judge Bewsher, Barry will take the part of Don Adriano de Armado, and Dr. J. D. A. Johnson that of Berowne. Students of Shakespeare will be glad to see a play which is so seldom staged enacted in such beautiful surroundings.

For the Red Cross Fête, in aid of the V.A.D. Club—a function which is to take place on the 28th of this month—a first class programme has been arranged, including a tennis tournament, golf, dancing, and many other attractions.

THE O'MARA OPERA COMPANY.

Puccini's "La Bohème" was performed by the O'Mara Opera Company at the Gaiety Theatre last evening before an appreciative audience with marked success. Mr. O'Mara, as Rudolph, gave a graceful interpretation of the part, and, in addition to singing his music effectively, imparted dramatic force to his work, which culminated in the death scene. Mr. John Olivero, as Marcel, sang and acted with conspicuous ability and earnestness. The part of Mimi was filled by Miss Eleanor Feltz, whose brilliant vocal music added charm to the concerted numbers. Miss Alma Lowe enhanced her reputation as Musella, a part which she interpreted impressively. Messrs. Griffin (Colline), Davies (Schaunard), and Silverton (Benoit), assisted in the success of the performance, while the wealth of melody and colour that adorns the score was agreeably disclosed by the orchestra, under the direction of Mr. R. J. Forbes. To-day, "Madame Butterfly"; this evening, "Maritana."

AUCTION SALES.

Messrs. Battersby and Co.

Messrs. Battersby and Co announce in our auction columns to-day a number of attractive lots for sale at their auction on 26th inst. The properties include 3 rooms, Hillside, Park Cottages, Sandyford; 11, 24 Arran road, Drumcondra; a fine house of £35 per annum, 9 Trimmingham street, 55, 54 Reuben street, 52 Victoria avenue, 117 St. Lawrence road, 15 Upper St. Bridget's road, property North Strand, and houses in Greystones and Howth. Full particulars are set out in our auction columns.

Messrs. O'Connor.

Outstanding amounts on insurance sales of land and residences this month in that by auction of Rathmoyle Park, Clonsilla, Co. Dublin, to be held at St. Mary's, Dublin, on Wednesday, June 25th, 11 consists of 45 acres of fee-simple grazing land and a beautiful residence, with 3 acres. In addition to a well-stocked garden and conservatories, there is extensive stabling and large yards, a farmer's house and some galvanised buildings for storage. This estate should be a distinctive acquisition to a sportsman or country gentleman requiring a good residence contiguous to the city.

Messrs. MacArthur.

Next Friday will be sale day at Messrs. MacArthur's auction rooms in Talbot street. The various lots to be disposed of include a valuable profit rent of property in Mary street, per instructions of the representatives of the Mr. Gerald Byrne, solicitor, also "Ivy House," Cabra road, Philibeggan, Lucan, Co. Dublin, Drumcondra 5 O'Connell avenue, Berkeley road, with possession and 30 Clonliffe road, Drumcondra, 7 Dorset street, Drumcondra, fine old city house, 15 Blessington street, and a profit rent of £34 15s.11; per annum derived out of several houses in Upper Dominick street, including valuable licensed premises, 1 Bolton street, Dublin, and 2 Dominick street, including valuable licensed premises, in Stafford street. Details appear in our auction columns.

COMING EVENT.

Bibliographical Society of Ireland.—To-day the Society meets at the Public Record Office, Four Courts, at 2.30 p.m. Members meet at Chancery place entrance.

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St. Vincent's Male Orphanage, Glasnevin.—The monthly statement of this work of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, for the month of May, showed that there were £402 2.1, and the payments £346 15.4, the actual cost of maintenance having been £311 11.11. There were boys left for attendance during the month, and two applications for admission were received, and were unsuccessful.

SHOOTING OUTRAGE IN CLARE.

Our Ennis Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—John O'Loghlen, herdsman to Mr. Gilyon, farmer and district council member of north Clare, was admitted to Clare Infirmary last evening suffering from serious gunshot wounds in both legs. From a statement made by the injured man it appears he was nearing his own house in the early hours of Thursday morning, when he was fired at. No arrests have been made, as he stated he was unable to recognise his assailant. John O'Loghlen, who is an unmarried young man, had taken herding from which a man had been dismissed.

ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN HOSPITAL.

The usual monthly meeting of the Board of the Royal City of Dublin Hospital was held yesterday. Mr. M. V. Blacker-Douglas, D.L., in the chair. Also present:—Sir D. Pinkerton Barton, Bart., Mr. Richard W. Booth, J.P., Dr. Gibbon Fitzgibbon, Mr. H. M. Gwynn, Mr. T. Jamison Johnston, F.R.C.S., Dr. Alfred R. Parsons, Mr. R. Atkinson Stewart, J.P., and Mr. Thomas Vernon, M.P. Apologies for non-attendance were received from Councillor Wm. Sexton, Mr. Henry Duffy, and the Right Hon. Sir Hugh J. Gobbing Hart, P.C., J.P. The report of the Finance Committee for May was read, recommending for payment accounts amounting to £1,352 14.5. Cheques for some were signed, which, with the payments, left a balance overdrawn. The directors, having under consideration the question of increasing the forty beds in their power the above heavy overdraft, the following was adopted:—"It is a matter of regret that the direction very much regret, in view of the serious financial position of the hospital, to be unable to increase the number of beds, and accordingly it is ordered that as soon as the annual tenancy, during which the beds will be available in accordance with the usual practice, is reduced to 65, has been completed, the total number of in-patients shall not at any time, until further order of the directors, exceed 100, instead of the normal 105, and that the nursing and domestic staff be suitably reduced." If the full work of the hospital is to be continued it will be absolutely necessary to find a very substantial increase of income, and the directors earnestly hope that the generous public will, as they have done in times past, come to the rescue, and prevent them from having to reduce the available number of beds. It is also earnestly hoped that subscribers who have not yet done so will kindly send in their contributions as soon as possible. The directors would especially draw the attention of those residents in the Pembroke Township who do not contribute to the support of their city hospital, and who receive the benefit of it for their servants, to help to wipe out the heavy overdraft of £7,658 9.3. Even a shillinge a year from each householder in the Pembroke Township would mean a large increase to our income. Every effort towards economy is made by the Board, and in contemplating further steps towards retrenchment they have earnestly appeal to all those interested in the hospital for more annual subscribers and more donations, for without such the usefulness of this very deserving charity must be seriously impaired. Medical Superintendent Medlicott reported that 136 patients were admitted during the month; 786 accidents were treated, 1,098 attendances at the dispensaries, remaining in hospital, 193. The Board regret that the number of patients admitted must be strictly limited owing to lack of funds. The directors desire to refer to the generous offer of the Lady Superintendent of Royal Cross Hospital their grateful thanks for the large quantity of goods allocated to the hospital, many are most acceptable, and greatly appreciated. Miss Croker Barrington, Hon. Secretary, Ladies' Committee, announced a member of the Ladies' Committee, in memory of Miss Edge, 29 Raglan road.

Lord Mayor Gregory acknowledges the following gifts for the hospital:—Vegetables, Mr. Bennett, Sandymount; Miss Bennett, Miss Sneezy, Miss Bird; papers, Miss Lee, Miss Stokes; barrels, Lady Fry; bedsteads and bedsteads, Rathmines Branch Red Cross Depot; rhubarb, Lady Gowning; Christmas cards, Mrs. Vernon; eggs, Mrs. Biddulph, Mrs. Bowen; cotton wool and gauze, per Mrs. Rose Ashlner.

Visitors will be shown over the hospital any afternoon.

CRICKET.

PHŒNIX v. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.

This two-day fixture was started yesterday in the College Park, when, owing to the overnight rain, the wicket was difficult. Phœnix, batting first, looked like running up a good score, with three wickets down for 89, but after the tea interval wickets fell rapidly, and all were out for an additional 38 runs. R. A. Lloyd, who last week hit up 246 for Liverpool, played well for 33; Kidd was run out for 34, and Buttenshaw got 31; but the rest got no bodies. In less than an hour left for play Trinity lost 7 wickets for 57. Holgate's left-handed deliveries and Kidd's leg-breaks proving very destructive. Play will be resumed to-day at 2.30 p.m. Score:—

PHŒNIX.

R. A. Lloyd c. Macnie b Coulman	33	Lt C. K. Kelk b Ward	0
Messrs. Arnott and Co., Dublin, Ltd.	5	J. J. Kelly b Pemberton	2
A. E. Kennedy b Ward	4	Capt. A. L. Goring not out	0
E. C. Kidd run out	34	A. W. Holgate, c Ward b Pembertion	2
C. Buttenshaw c Ward b Pembertion	31	Extras	31
Maj. E. Flanagan c Pembertion b Holgate	2	Total	127

Capt. J. E. Short b Pigot 4
Lt. L. G. Smith c Kelly b Ward 4
Rev. A. A. Luce b. b. Pembertion 6
Bowling—Pemberton, 6 for 59; Ward, 3 for 32.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.

A. F. Kelly b Kidd 10
H. Rollins st. Short b Kidd 9
W. R. Macnie c Buttenshaw b Holgate 0
William Brown c Power b Smith 0
R. W. Power c Smith b Kidd 2
P. J. Ward not out 13
A. Hobson c Short b Holgate 1
To bat—M. R. Coulman, W. R. Pemberton.

MEATH v. DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.

Played at Navan on Wednesday, when the Varsity suffered defeat by 135 runs on the first innings. Score:—

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY.

R. Power c J

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	Leave.	Return Fare.
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SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, 21st & 22nd JUNE.		
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MONDAY, 11.30 a.m. CRICKET MATCH.
TUESDAY, 11.30 a.m. Military of Ireland v. Dublin University, College Park, T.C.D.
TUESDAY, 4.0 p.m. BOXING TOURNAMENT, O.T.C. Square, T.C.D.
WEDNESDAY, 2.0 p.m. COLLEGE RACES, College Park, T.C.D.
8.15 p.m. CONCERT, Examination Hall, T.C.D.
THURSDAY, 3.0 p.m. LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT, Championship Finals, Fellows' Gardens, T.C.D.
FRIDAY, 3.0 p.m. BASE BALL MATCH, College Park, T.C.D.
LAWN TENNIS MIXED DOUBLES, Fellows' Gardens, T.C.D.
9.30 p.m. TRINITY WEEK BALL, Industries Hall, Ballsbridge.
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Tickets can be had by Voucher only through the Committee.
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Dated this 14th day of June, 1919.
K. BARRY, Secretary,
Delgany Golf Club, Delgany.

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19th JUNE.
In connection with the above, Auxiliary Train will run from Kingsbridge to Gowran at 11.20 a.m., calling at Sallins 11.50 a.m., Newbridge 12.5 p.m., Kildare 12.26 p.m., Athy 12.55 p.m., Carlow 1.20 p.m.; arriving Gowran at 2.0 p.m., and returning at 7.0 p.m.
A Train will also leave Kilkenny at 1.30 p.m., arriving Gowran at 1.45 p.m., and returning at 7.15 p.m.
E. A. NEALE, General Manager.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, June, 1919.

SERMONS.

STEPHEN'S GREEN METHODIST CHURCH.
11.30—Rev. JAMES GRUBB.
Subject—"THE DOCTRINE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT: WHAT IS MEANT BY IT?"
7.—Rev. JAMES GRUBB.
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Subject—"LOW MORALS, IN HIGH PLACES."

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MORNING—12 noon:
Religious Reconstruction:
(3) The New Thought of Christ.
EVENING—7 p.m.:
The Curse of Common Phrases:
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ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.45 p.m. Gaiety Theatre—"Madam Butterfly," 2.30 p.m.; "Maritana," 7.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"The Fenian," 6.30 and 8.30 p.m.
Empire Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Little Theatre, 40 Upper Sackville Street—"Sister Helen," by Graham and Isaac, and "The Storm," 2.30 p.m.; "Sister Helen," "Seven Women," and "The Stronger," 8 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—2.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Continuous.
Zoo Fête—Opening Ceremony, at 2 p.m.
Royal Brigade Sports—Lansdowne Road, 2.45 p.m.
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The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1919.

Ireland at Paris.

The Irish Censorship has decided that the Irish-American delegates' report on their recent visit must not be published in this country. No such ban exists in Great Britain, and full summaries of the report have been printed in at least two London newspapers. These newspapers circulate in Ireland, with the result that the nature of the report is known to nearly every Irishman who had any anxiety to know it. In this case we do not complain that the Censorship's action is, *prima facie*, unfair to the Irish Press. We regret that the Censorship will admit that there may be circumstances in which their own interests must give way to public considerations. We may point out, however, that, if the report is a false, reckless, and malignant document, it is likely to do smaller harm in Ireland, where people are in a position to test its merits by their knowledge of the facts, than in Great Britain and the United States, where much ignorance of Irish conditions still prevails. If the report is false, reckless, and malignant—if it bears these qualities obviously on its face, and if its charges can be refuted to the complete satisfaction of every impartial man—its publication may not be an unmixed evil. It will confirm, of course, the astonishing folly of the British Government in permitting these Irish-American agitators to visit Ireland under the protection of British passports; but that folly is now acknowledged by the men who committed it. The really important thing is that the report will disclose to the members of the American Peace Commission the character of the company which they have been keeping in Paris. President Wilson has informed the Irish-American delegates that he can take no "official" steps to get a hearing at the Peace Conference for Mr. de Valera and his friends. It is suggested, however, that his "unofficial" interest and sympathy may be put at the delegates' disposal. We may assume that, if the delegates' report reveals them as untrustworthy and utterly prejudiced persons, Mr. Wilson, in the interest of his own reputation and his country's dignity, will decide to have no further dealings with them.

In this matter there is no real distinction between the words "official" and "unofficial"; for no interference in Irish affairs by President Wilson at the present time could be described truthfully as "unofficial." It is settled that he will not attempt to raise the Irish question formally at the Peace Conference. Let us suppose, however, that he should bring the Prime Minister, Lord Robert Cecil, and other British statesmen together at a convenient dinner, and say to them over the second glass of port: "You really must get this Irish question out of the way, because its reactions on American politics are an intolerable nuisance. Of course, the Republican theory is absurd, but why don't you make an experiment in Dominion Home Rule?" We do not suggest for a moment that Mr. Wilson would do anything of the kind; indeed, we are convinced that he will do nothing of the kind. He knows perfectly well that he is in Europe as the President of the United States, and that, whether at the Conference table or *discinctus*, he cannot divest himself of that character, and, therefore, has no present right to do or say anything that could be interpreted as interference in British politics. We do not know what he meant by the word "unofficially," but even the new diplomacy can find uses for the art of polite evasion. There is, in effect, only one reason why Mr. Wilson should be tempted to meddle in British politics—namely, the value of the Irish-American vote at the coming Presidential elections. In the first place, however, any suggestion that he could yield to such temptation would be a slight on the high and austere principles which have made him the Aristides of modern statesmanship. In the next place, even if he were a mere time-server, he would still recognise the danger of interference from his purely selfish point of view. Mr. Wilson is fighting grimly for the supremacy of the League of Nations. The United States Senate and the whole Republican Party distrust the League as giving Great Britain a foothold for interference with the Monroe Doctrine. The Senate's *Sinn Fein* resolution was a deliberate *reductio ad absurdum* of the situation which, as it conceives, would result from the admission of a mutual right of intervention. If Mr. Wilson should interfere in Anglo-Irish politics, he would furnish Britain with a weighty argument for interference with the Monroe Doctrine—and the Democratic Party's doom at the Presidential elections would be sealed.

The performance of the Irish-American delegates may work some mischief in the United States; but we must see it in its true proportions as an unfortunate and annoying—because avoidable—episode. The elements of the Irish situation remain unchanged, and will remain unchanged whether the world confirms or rejects the Covenant of the League of Nations. The Irish question is a question between two integral parts of the United Kingdom. It can be affected only by the wishes and decisions of the peoples of the two countries, expressed and settled in accordance with the provisions of the British Constitution. If substantial majorities of all Irish parties agree on any process of improvement or development, the British Government, as it has announced many times in the last ten years, will ratify their joint demand. In the absence of such agreement on any matter of political or social reform, the British Government is directly responsible for the shaping and conduct of Irish affairs, and its policy must be guided by two supreme considerations—the welfare of Ireland and the welfare of the rest of the United Kingdom and of the whole Empire. Under no pressure, external or internal, can it consent to father or promote any policy that might impair the one or imperil the other. The welfare of Ireland depends on good government—which means equal justice and opportunity for all, firm administration of the law, protection for life and property, and the free development of the country's intellectual and material resources. At the present time Ireland's condition is such that any political experiment must involve the gravest danger. If it should satisfy disaffection, the Empire would be betrayed; if it should fail to satisfy disaffection, no good and much harm would be done. There remains, then, the course which duty and interest alike dictate—firm and honest government under the existing Constitution. With that responsibility of the British Government neither Paris nor Washington has any right or, as we believe, any desire to interfere.

The Treaty of Peace.

It was generally believed that the Allied reply to the German counter-proposals would be handed to Count Brockdorff-Rantzau to-day. So far there has been no official confirmation of this belief, but the news that the whole Treaty of Peace must be re-written throws a doubt upon the likelihood of the Germans being answered before the beginning of next week. No important changes are likely to be made in the reparation clauses. The American suggestion that a fixed sum should be stated seems to have been overruled, and it is almost certain that, with possible minor concessions in regard to time, the original clauses will be substantially confirmed. Considerable surprise was shown at the various rumours concerning Germany's almost immediate admittance into the ranks of the League of Nations. The vigorous protests of M. Clemenceau seem to have been effective in checking any tendency on the part of the Council of Four to grant this concession. The League will find its time and energies quite sufficiently occupied during the first months of its existence without the continual necessity of keeping a watchful eye on an unruly member; and a recalcitrant Germany would be in a position to make all sorts of mischief in the near future. In regard to Silesia certain changes seem to be inevitable. The whole matter of Polish sovereignty has assumed a new aspect as a result of recent events in that country. The inhabitants of Upper Silesia are not particularly enamoured of the idea of becoming Poles, and a plebiscite very probably will be taken in this region. The loss of Alsace-Lorraine and the Saar Valley coal will deprive Germany of a great industrial asset, and, if the people of Upper Silesia decide in her favour, one result will be that her prospects of being able to fulfil the economic clauses of the Peace Treaty will be enhanced. The great problem, however, is whether or not Germany intends to sign. It is certain

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A Racial Feud.

The streets of Cardiff have been the scene of very serious riots during the past few days. The main cause of the trouble is the old feud between the white and black races, and, in spite of the fact that the hospitality of Great Britain has never been refused to negroes, circumstances are such at present that some action by the Government seems to be inevitable. There is no doubt that there have been serious faults on both sides. The negroes, who, since the outbreak of war, have enjoyed every privilege of equality with white men, have become arrogant and insolent, and in many cases have been guilty of deliberate provocation. The white men, in their turn, have been too ready to resort to violence. The effects of four years of war have not yet begun to disappear, and human life is still held lightly by many of those who themselves have smiled in the face of death. While every effort should be made to discourage the intermingling of the races, occurrences such as those at Liverpool and Cardiff, in which several lives were lost, are strongly to be deprecated. The secular feud between white and black will last as long as human nature, but the great difference between the two races is that the white man is capable of self-control, while the angry negro frequently runs amok. We hope that prompt steps will be taken to prevent a recurrence of these regrettable scenes.

Example and Precept.

The first report of the Select Committee on National Expenditure has been issued as a White Book. It discloses some examples of official extravagance which, even in these days of riotous expenditure and waste, can only be described as wanton in the extreme. The most amazing of these is that which refers to aeroplanes. After the armistice it was decided that no more aircraft were necessary. Some time afterwards this decision was reversed, and the Air Council agreed to accept the delivery of further machines and engines from private contractors. This step was taken as a result of "Labour and other considerations," and large numbers of aeroplanes were constructed which were of no value whatsoever to the country. It was then found necessary to provide work for the people in the national factories, and the brilliant idea was evolved of sending the surplus aeroplanes there to be dismantled and "scrapped." Another remarkable feature of this report is the statement that the taxpayers of the country are spending £130,000 a year to provide motor cars for the convenience and delectation of Ministers and departmental officials. In view of the present precarious state of our national finances these further disclosures of extravagance and wilful destruction are extremely discouraging. There is little use in preaching economy unless the men who are ruling us show themselves capable of husbanding our resources. The taxpayer is tired of being regarded as a generous fool. He may be generous, but his folly is gradually giving way to disgust.

FEEDING TIME.

A PLEA FOR THE DUBLIN "ZOO."

In northern lands of ice and snow
Inhabited by Esquimaux,
Where great white bears a-hunting go,

No less than in the torrid spots
Which kindly circumstance allots
To the untroubled Hottentots,

Wild creatures, singly and in flocks,
Frequent the trees, frequent the rocks,
And creep under the traveller's socks.

And some of them are here displayed,
The pachyderm, the plantigrade,
And fowls like Solomon arrayed;

Each with some private charm indued,
This quaintly formed, that brightly hued—
But glutons, one and all, for food.

Yea, stranger, as you muse in awe
On the inexorable law
Of Nature, red in tooth and claw,

Know that each wing unfurled in flight,
Each cry of anger or delight
Augments the creature's appetite.

And whence shall come the draw to pay
For tons of fish and stacks of hay,
And horses fallen by the way;

The nuts on which the monkeys thrive,
The python's ox (devoured alive),
Whose cost is quite prohibitive?

Then, stranger, let your purse-strings open!
Revive the fainting antelope,
And fill the elephant with hope;

Nor doubt that every bob you spend
Brightens the mandrilla latter end,
Or makes the aptenyx your friend.

Dublin, June 13th, 1919. ALCO.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH ACT.

CHAIRMANSHIP OF IRISH COUNCIL.

The position of Chairman of the Consultative Council for Ireland about to be established under the Ministry of Health Act, has, we understand, been offered to Dr. E. Coey Bigger, Medical Commissioner of the Irish Local Government Board. Should Dr. Bigger decide to accept the Chairmanship of the Consultative Committee, it would involve the severance of his connection with the Local Government Board.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE.

Viscount Northcliffe will undergo an operation for the removal of an adenoid of the thyroid gland on Wednesday next. It is hoped the operation will completely dispel the ill-health from which his lordship has suffered since his return from the United States, at the end of 1917.

BOARD OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

The Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be members of the Board of Superintendents of the Dublin Hospitals—Major-General John Dallas Edge, C.B., F.R.C.S.I.; Colonel Walter Carson, M.D., F.R.C.S.I.; Sir George Roche, Sir John Robert O'Connell, J.P.

THE RESIDENT MAGISTRACY.

The Lord Lieutenant has made the following appointments—Mr. Patrick Sandiford Brady, barrister, to be a Resident Magistrate for the County of Leitrim; to be a Resident Magistrate for the County of Cork, to be stationed at Bantry, Mr. Charles Edward Armstrong to be a Resident Magistrate for the County of Galway, to be stationed at Ballinasloe. Major Thomas Wallace Dickie to be a Resident Magistrate for the County of Leitrim, to be stationed at Carrick-on-Shannon. Lieutenant-Colonel George Strafford Burton to be a Resident Magistrate for the County of Galway, to be stationed at Gort.

THE MILITARY CROSS.

On 8th October, 1918, during the attack on Walincourt, Temporary Second Lieutenant Charles George Cavalli, 126th Field Company, R.E., who has now been awarded the Military Cross, was sent forward to reconnoitre a position for a strong point at Angles Château. Although immediately wounded, he set out his task; meanwhile he found two Lewis guns, with which he kept up a harassing fire until the situation was cleared, and the section able to carry out the work. His conspicuous gallantry and initiative undoubtedly assisted greatly in the success of the operations.

The condition of Lord Derby has much improved as a result of the operation which he has undergone. All danger is now over.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

The date for the presentation of the Allies' *ultimatum* still seems to be receding. It is said that the terms are completed, but that a committee of representatives of the Four Great Powers is busy putting them in proper form. The document will be one of some fifty pages, and the Germans certainly will need some days to assimilate it. It is still said that they will have a time-limit of a week after presentation of the revised terms, but the exact date for that event is still uncertain.

If the Germans refuse to sign the Peace Treaty, the Allied Armies will move at very short notice. All arrangements for an advance have been co-ordinated under the orders of Marshal Foch. The march for war has not yet begun to disappear, and human life is still held lightly by many of those who themselves have smiled in the face of death. While every effort should be made to discourage the intermingling of the races, occurrences such as those at Liverpool and Cardiff, in which several lives were lost, are strongly to be deprecated. The secular feud between white and black will last as long as human nature, but the great difference between the two races is that the white man is capable of self-control, while the angry negro frequently runs amok. We hope that prompt steps will be taken to prevent a recurrence of these regrettable scenes.

London people are wondering whether there will be a return to air raids and lights out, and all that kind of thing, if the Germans do not sign. Such a move on the part of the enemy is most unlikely, for they know that we have ample means now of repaying Germany immediately in full measure for any such attack made on this country. Nevertheless, the War Office would be wise to issue a reassuring word should the war commence again. London has had a bad time, and its people would be glad to know that it is not likely to return.

It is suggested to-day that Sir Douglas Haig's speech at the Guildhall yesterday advocating a citizen army was a *ballon d'essai*, and that, if the idea meets with a cordial reception, Mr. Churchill and others will advocate the reconstitution of the Territorial Force on the basis of a citizen army. The proposal of Lord Roberts was that there should be four months' training for young men, at the age of eighteen, followed by a fortnight's training for the following three years in the Territorial Force. This would not make any great demand on the young men of the country, particularly if the fortnight's training in the three years could be an addition to the annual holidays.

The announcement that Colonel House is coming on a visit to London, but that he has no intention of taking a rest cure, is, and is another shock to *Sinn Fein*, for its organisers were counting upon such a visit, and it was expected that they would be able to rush the Colonel round the country as they did the Irish-American delegates. Colonel House, however, is not the man to lend himself to any such parade. It would be interesting to know if the *Sinn Fein* leaders think they have caused any sympathy by the publication of the delegates' report. It is regarded with amusement here, since it is so palpably manufactured for the consumption of those hostile to this country.

A most striking feature of the third annual report of the National War Savings Committee, published to-day, is the remarkable extent of the holding by small investors of shares in the National Loans. In 1918 the sale of War Savings Certificates showed an increase of over forty-five millions on the preceding year. The amount of repayments during last year amounted to about six and a half millions, a very small proportion of the total sum. The small investor, it is calculated, has invested £432,741,000. In March, 1918, the provincial War Savings Committees were established in Ireland. By the end of the year these Committees had formed 26 local War Savings Committees to organise the work in certain areas, and 267 War Savings Associations had been affiliated. The sale of War Savings Certificates in Ireland increased from 697,300 in 1917 to 1,731,433 in 1918.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, at the Memorial Service for the Royal Navy, held at St. Paul's Cathedral this morning, said that 57,000 lives, the very pick of our British youth and manhood, had been given by our naval forces in the war. Probably these figures will strike most people as amazing; but the Navy is so silent and quiet in all that it does that the constant drain of its man-power has passed by almost unnoticed by the people. The service this morning was one of a most thrilling character. There was a large attendance of the members of the Royal Family, headed by the King and Queen, while any notable sailors were present. Mr. Walter Long, Sir Edward Carson, both first Lords of the Admiralty during the war, attended with Dr. Macnamara, while Vc. Al. Power represented the Chief Secretary for Ireland.

At last the coal-owners are taking up a side in the production of coal advocated by many people. They are suggesting double shifts to increase the falling output and to save the great misfortune of losing our foreign markets. The miners are to call a special conference to consider the proposal. Whether the proposal will be adopted or not is impossible to say, but it seems a most sensible one. If anybody of men cannot get out coal enough to supply the needs of the country, two lots ought to be employed. With the universal adoption of eight hours for miners, the shift system will have to be adopted in many trades and businesses. Steps will not be able to make a fortune for the employers if they are open from 10 to four daily. Two sets of employers will be needed to work the business hours now generally recognised.

Steps will be taken to set up the Select Committee on Land Valuation, promised by Mr. Chamberlain in his Budget statement, as soon as Parliament reassembles. Among the names suggested for membership are those of Captain Pretyman, Mr. Raffan, and Mr. J. O'Grady, representing respectively the Land Union, the Land Values group in the House, and the Labour Party. A serious proposition for the Committee will be the position of temporary officials of the Department in the event of drastic steps being recommended. The Committee will not have to dismiss these officials, but their future must enter into its calculations.

It would be interesting to know what price an autograph collector would place upon two books which have just been stored away at Buckingham Palace. They are the Visitors' Books placed at the doors of the Palace for the signatures of everybody who calls upon the King and Queen, nearly everybody with any claim to fame or distinction signs these books, and the collection of autographs must, therefore, be one of priceless value. When Queen Victoria was alive she was fond of examining these books in order that she might be certain that all the people who should call had done so.

The fruit prospect seems to be a very bad one. Strawberries to-day are half-a-crown a tiny pottle, while cherries are two shillings and sixpence a pound. In Kent the apples are falling off the trees, while pears and plums are very short. Gooseberries seem to be more plentiful, and a pound may be obtained for eightpence.

PLYMOUTH'S WELCOME TO PRINCE OF WALES.

The Press Association Special Correspondent says—Of all the remarkably cordial receptions accorded to the Prince of Wales on his Western tour none was more stirring than the spontaneous and general welcome given by Plymouth yesterday. Beautiful decorations, notable speeches and interesting functions, and warm greetings and affectionate greetings were crowned by a scene on the famous Hoe, over which the townsfolk could remember no parallel. The Prince was deeply moved by it all, and seemed particularly to appreciate the spontaneous public assurance that his frank manly war service, his solicitude about housing and reconstruction, and the absence of any "side" was largely responsible.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

The Times in its first leading article says—The mood of the great meeting at the Albert Hall last evening was not so much one of enthusiasm as of earnestness. Had it been held before the wearisome delays in Paris had sickened the heart of the Allied peoples, or had it followed close upon President Wilson's great speech in the Metropolitan Opera House at New York last March, it might conceivably have been a more impressive manifestation. The audience, indeed, showed no lack of warmth, but it was clearly inspired by a sober and, in some respects, a critical spirit. Perhaps, it is better thus. The League of Nations is no holiday scheme for the amusement of crowds. It is a serious attempt so to organise international relationships that war may cease to be the inevitable, or even the probable, means of their adjustment when grave differences affecting the honour or the vital interests of people arise. If it is to bear the test of experience, it must be shrewdly built, and be sound enough to withstand national passions and international intrigues when they threaten to set the world by the ears.

THE REPLY TO GERMANY.

A message from the Political Correspondent of *The Times* at Paris states that the work of framing the reply to the German counter-proposals is finished, and the members of the Council of Four are leaving, or have left, Paris. Mr. Wilson goes to Brussels, Mr. Lloyd George to England, and Signor Orlando to Italy. M. Clemenceau has devoted all the day to the tangled French internal situation. The reply will fill about sixty pages. It is understood that President Wilson took an active part in drafting it, and that its opening paragraphs reiterate the statements contained in M. Clemenceau's letter of May 10, informing Count Brockdorff-Rantzau that the Allied and Associated Powers could allow no discussion of their right to maintain the fundamental conditions of peace which they had laid down, and could only take into consideration suggestions of a practical order. It is probable that the reply will not be presented to the Germans before Monday, or, perhaps, even Tuesday. It is understood that five days will be given to the Germans to sign or refuse.

FEARS OF AN ALLIED ADVANCE.

The Special Correspondent of *The Times* at Coblenz says—In the areas opposite the Allied bridgeheads proclamations have been issued by the German authorities cautioning civilians to remain in their towns and villages, and refrain from any act of resentment should the Allies advance. Notwithstanding that some ninety miles beyond the neutral zone have been placing their families and goods to the interior of Germany. These people have brought much embarrassment to the German authorities. In some towns the municipal authorities have been ordered to remain at their posts should the Allies advance. People here have no doubt that the Peace Treaty will be signed.

ADMIRAL KOLTCHAK'S GOVERNMENT.

The Times, in a leading article, says—The Allies have practically recognised the National Government of Russia presided over by Admiral Koltchak. It would have been wiser, as well as more honest, if they had made this recognition formally and frankly. Why not call the step by its true name? The four statesmen tell Admiral Koltchak that some of their Governments are now being pressed to withdraw their troops and to cut off the supplies with which they have been furnishing him. They seem to claim merit for their virtue in continuing them, none the less. Surely, they know that a more generous course would gain more and would be more effective. They would be relieved because they do not call recognition recognition? The persons who apply that pressure are not likely to be put off by words. The peace of the world, as we have constantly maintained, cannot be secured by a chaos emerges from the chaos into which Bolshevism, with German aid, has plunged her. In publishing the correspondence with Admiral Koltchak, the Council of Four furnishes proof that the Great Powers are unanimous in their desire to restore peace and liberty to Russia, and also that experience has taught them that it is impossible so to do by compromising with Bolshevism. Admiral Koltchak is to be assisted with munitions, supplies, and food to establish his Government as a Government of all Russia.

THE OPENING OF OSTEND.

A Special Correspondent of *The Times* at Ostend writes under date June 13th—Ostend is now in communication with home trade, and Ostend will be navigable at all states of the tide on Sunday. The early reclamation of these ports to Belgium is due to the admirable progress of the clearance work done in them by the Admiralty Salvage Department, under Commodore F. W. Young, R.N.R., the salvage expert.

GERMANS IN ESTHONIA

MARSHAL FOCH'S STERN ORDER.

REPORTED BOMBARDMENT OF KRONSTADT.

It was stated in official quarters last night that the Germans are attacking the Esthonians, and, from the fact that they are concentrating armoured cars and other war material on that front, they evidently intend to occupy all the Esthonian Baltic provinces. Marshal Foch has issued a direction to the Germans, supplemented by an order from General Gough, instructing them to withdraw immediately to the south of the line already laid down.

THE BOLSHEVIST FLEET.

The official account of the recent naval action against the Bolshevist ships just received by the Admiralty supplies the answer to a question raised by certain members in the House of Commons as to why British ships opened fire on the Bolshevists. The British Admiral in charge of that action says that he opened fire on the Bolshevists, "because they opened fire on us."

In British naval circles, says the Press Association, the Bolshevist sea forces are regarded as a more serious factor than was at first believed. There is every reason to suppose that the personnel of the Bolshevist ships include a backbone of German blood, and the gun-fire, when they get into action, is well directed. Their fleet, however, takes great care not to get too far from home, and always makes for the protection of the land guns when our naval forces appear. Two submarines, which have been fighting in the Gulf of Finland, have recently overhauled, and are being used by the Bolshevists in the Baltic Sea. That the British naval authorities do not, however, anticipate any serious danger from the Bolshevist Fleet is proved by the answer of the Admiralty official, who, when questioned on the subject, said, "Well, their sea forces are not a negligible factor, because they succeed in putting to sea, and that is more than we gave them credit for being able to do a few weeks back."

REPORTED BOMBARDMENT OF KRONSTADT.

BRITISH NAVAL SQUADRON IN ACTION.

A Reuter's telegram from Stockholm on Thursday says—The *Aftonblad*, in its noon edition of to-day, publishes a report, which, it states, that it has received from a reliable source, to the effect that Kronstadt is being bombarded by a British naval squadron. The guns, but the batteries in the town are not returning the fire. Bolshevist ships, the report adds, have placed floating mines in the waters around Kronstadt, evidently with the object of preventing a landing by the British. It would appear that the Bolshevists are trying to evacuate Kronstadt. The British naval squadron in the Gulf of Finland consists of an important number of ships.

KOLTCHAK FIGHTING DESPERATELY.

RUSSIAN ARMY ADVANCING.

Reuter's Agency learns that in the offensive in the Vistka direction Admiral Koltchak's troops fought desperately on Tuesday, and continues. Among the prisoners taken is the Staff of certain Red regiments. North of the town of Glasof, which appears to be allowed to Red Army, the latter fought its way across the Cheptsa River, and is advancing further, having captured prisoners and war material. Fighting has taken place north of Sarapul.

A Reuter's Montreal telegram of Thursday says—Negotiations between the Canadian Railway War Board and the representatives of the railway shopmen of America are reported to have failed in an endeavour to prevent a strike involving 30,000 workers for higher wages.

AT THE CONFERENCE.

OUR LETTER FROM PARIS.

THE ANOMALIES OF PEACE-MAKING.

PROSPECTS OF SIGNATURE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

PARIS, JUNE 12.

Despite the fact that the political horizon seems to become daily more overcast, with the storm clouds of discord in the Conference itself, and general discontent, Paris seems to be far more optimistic than it was a week ago. There is an element of humour about the situation that is striking people. After having spent five years in battering Germany to pieces, it seems ironical that one of our chief problems is to make the broken machinery function again, so that it may do its utmost to liquidate the cost of the war. When, after endless hesitation, the Allies have made up their minds on a policy with regard to Russia, their candidate is driven back over a distance of 75 miles. When Hungary is about to be called to the Peace Conference to receive its punishment, it carries on a war of conquest in the conqueror's country. Never before in history has such a peace had to be made, for, while the very negotiations are going on, the nature of the problem is changing with the development of events.

In spite of the seriousness of the strike movement in France, there is a humorous side to one aspect of it, too. By all the industrial unrest the world over we are reminded that history is repeating itself, inasmuch as great wars have always set in operation great social forces, which have radically changed the structure of society, and in a few years much of the present work of the Paris Conference may have little value, for the conditions of to-day will have passed. But this generation has been wiser than its predecessors, for it has made it possible for the work to be under constant revision, so that the parts of this treaty which become obsolete can be corrected. Hence the optimism.

The outlook, nevertheless, is serious enough, but it is believed that the apparent increase in disorder and discontent is largely due to conditions which will pass away with the signing of any peace terms which will let the world get back to its normal conditions. This maintenance of artificial separation of Europe into watertight compartments, with all the other restrictions it implies, is largely responsible for the hesitation of the leaders of enterprise. It is gratifying to know that, though the various Commissions which were charged with the work of reconstruction in the countries of the Germans have not all reported, there is *every* likelihood of the reply being ready at the end of the week. The three Commissions which have not yet finished their work are the Schleswig, Belgium, and Bohemian Commissions. The answering Note will be handed to the German delegation with, it is believed, the demand that the terms be signed or rejected within eight days. It is generally expected that the Allies then will proceed to take extreme measures.

Whether the Germans will sign or not is impossible to say. They most remember change from day to day. If we could form an opinion from what is taking place in Germany, there would be little hesitation in declaring that the peace terms will not be signed. But it is quite true, as Marshal Foch has pointed out, that the trend of affairs across the Rhine is directly staged by the various parties trying to extricate Germany from the tangle her mistakes have brought about, and it is, of course, on the feelings of the Allies to secure important changes in the Treaty. There is no doubt at all that they have been greatly influenced by the reports of discussions among the "Great Four," as two interviews with Count Brockdorff-Rantzau, reported in the *Kölnische Zeitung*, go to show. In the first he pointed out very meekly that the Treaty could not be accepted as it stood, the clauses contained demands mutually exclusive. In the second interview he adopted the tone that the counter-proposals handed in by him represent the utmost concessions the Germans can make to the Allies. The whole of the counter-proposals, he says, form a single demand, and cannot be altered or reduced. He finally says that the Germans demand verbal negotiations.

The fighting in the Baltic cannot, of course, be taken seriously; the third must be declined on account of its unpractical nature. Everybody knows that in the course of the negotiations the various nations have exposed their ways of looking at things. The master of Fiume is one of the best illustrations of such cases. It will ultimately be settled by the Allies on a basis which they will be prepared to accept as final. But if the Germans were to be admitted to the discussions, every use would be made of such differences to work discord among the Allies to stick a pitch that no agreement could be arrived at on the general Treaty. The French view goes even further. It says that compromise in itself is a good thing, but not compromise with the enemy. When one state is in a case of one side assuming the mastery. The Treaty handed to the Germans is a Treaty among the Allies. If the Germans are to be allowed to criticise and alter it, how much more should the Legislatures of the separate States have that right? But that, for practical reasons, is not permitted. And if Count Brockdorff-Rantzau says that the Treaty is not just, he is not allowed to be the final arbiter for Allied opinion.

TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHT.

ANOTHER POSTPONEMENT.

R 34 TO START SHORTLY.

A telegram from St. John's on Friday states—The Vickers-Vimy aircraft has been in over hauling their machine for the actual flight, that they had sprung the axle of the wheels in landing last night, and that they would have to remove the axle and replace it with a new one. This will probably be a simple operation, but will cause a postponement of the flight until to-morrow.

The Handley-Page machine ascended from Harbour Grace on her second trial at 2.50 p.m. Greenwich mean time, and is now circling over Trinity Bay.

TRIAL OF VICKERS-VIMY MACHINE.

A St. John's (Newfoundland) telegram, dated Thursday, states—The Vickers-Vimy machine made a second trial flight this afternoon with new petrol, remaining aloft for forty minutes. The airmen report that the flight was a complete success, the engines working perfectly. The machine climbed to 5,000 feet, and attained a speed of 120 miles an hour. Messrs. Alcock and Brown are delighted with the result, and say they are making all necessary plans to get away on the Transatlantic flight to-morrow.

Mr. Muller, manager of Vickers Ltd., arrived by the Graciana to-day, and instructed Mr. Alcock by wireless from the ship not to leave until after his arrival, as he was bringing along some safety devices for fitting on the machine. These proved to be parachute flares for signalling. A new supply of petrol for the Vickers machine was also brought by the Graciana, and was landed at once, and enough conveyed to the aerodrome to partly fill the tanks and enable the machine to use it in this evening's flight. The remainder will be pumped into the machine in the morning. This will take three hours. The engines will then get a final spin immediately after lunch, and the start will probably be made between three and four o'clock.

The trial of the Handley-Page machine has been postponed from yesterday on account of fog. She will probably be two or three days behind the Vickers machine in making the Transatlantic attempt, although the workmen are busily engaged to-day on all parts of the machine, and are getting her into perfect working order.

R 34 GETTING READY.

A Reuter's telegram from Cape May, New Jersey, on Friday states—The Italian naval officers, headed by Major Fuller, has arrived here, and has commenced preparations for a landing place for the dirigible R 34. The American Navy Department has given orders for 1,000 men to report at Cape May in a few days to commence work on the landing place. Lieutenant Harris, belonging to the British Navy, has completed a hangar which will be ready for the dirigible to cross the Atlantic and reach Cape May, on Newfoundland and the New England coast, was from 60 to 70 hours.

FAVOURABLE WEATHER.

The Atlantic weather report issued last night says—Conditions are favourable for a flight from West to East. Landing conditions in Ireland are improving, and should be good to-morrow forenoon.

REWRITING THE PEACE TERMS.

THE ALLIES' REVISION.

GERMANY AND ORAL DISCUSSION.

AMERICAN OPPOSITION GROWING.

In a message, dated Thursday night, the Press Association's Paris Correspondent says:—The heads of Governments to-day put the finishing touches to their reply to the German counter-proposals, and especially discussed the chapter regarding reparations which refutes the German objection to the economic conditions. A Committee for the revision of the text of the reply was appointed. It consisted of one representative of each of the four Great Powers. M. Tardieu will represent France. The text is rather long. It will consist of about fifty pages. It will be presented to the German Delegation either on Saturday, or Monday at the latest, when it can be published in *extenso*. Only a few minor details remain to be settled, notably the time to be granted to the Germans to sign the Treaty.

The Paris Telegraph, says a Press Association message, dated Paris, Friday, "The entirely rewritten and reprinted, in order to incorporate textually the explanations and clarifications contained in the Allies' reply to the German counter-proposals. Thus, while unchanged in principle, it will be a new document when it is presented to the Germans. It is understood that the text of the new Treaty will be made public on the day of delivery, or on the day after. The Council of Four decided that the simple attachment of the Allies' reply to the original document was impracticable, as it left important clauses obscure and imperfect. Hence the decision to rewrite the Treaty.

Writing on Friday night, the Paris Correspondent of the Press Association says:—The Council of Four will meet the Turkish representatives next week in Paris. The drafting of the Turkish Treaty has been postponed until after this meeting. The Council of Four has decided to publish the revised draft of the German Peace Treaty next week.

Mr. Wilson, M. Clemenceau, Mr. Lloyd George, and Baron Sonnino, who is replacing Signor Orlando in the Council of Four, continued the drawing up of their reply to the German counter-proposals this morning and this afternoon. They have already handed over nine reports out of the eighteen to the Committee for the Revision of the Treaty, which is composed of M. Tardieu, Mr. Hudson, Mr. Kerr, Mr. Lloyd George, Secretary, Signor Scialoja, and Mr. Saburi. It is believed that the Allies' reply will be handed to the German delegates on Sunday evening or on Monday morning. The Germans will then have eight days in which to reply, "Yes" or "No."

GERMANY MAY SEEK TO PROLONG THE TIME.

An Exchange message, dated Copenhagen, Friday, says:—Herr Ebert, Count Bernstorff, and all the other members of the German Cabinet to-day left for Weimar, where a final decision is to be taken with regard to either accepting or rejecting the Peace Terms.

As soon as the Allies' reply to the counter-proposals is received, the German Delegation at Versailles will ask the Allies in turn, in order to obtain more time, that similar charges as those made by the Germans be laid on the other side of the Atlantic. Let us do our part by making it clear that from the public opinion of this country there is a strong, clear, resolute support for the principle of a League of Nations, and that this support comes not from a narrow national motive. It was only a national interest to us, in precisely the same way that it was only a national interest to other nations. The Covenant had its critics, but let all who were in favour of the principle work to make the thing work. That is, perhaps, all. It was the people alone who could give it life. If we had fought for an ideal during the war, would we not now fight for that ideal after the war? Was it too much to hope that the terrible experience of this war had taught mankind such a lesson that the ideal for which we fought would be made the ideal which became possible after the war?

CHOICE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH.

That is our hope, said Lord Grey, and the choice, after all, is whether you have a League of Nations or whether you let things go on the old rut that led to war, or before the war. It is not merely a choice between what is desirable and what is undesirable, it is a choice between life and death. (Cheers.) A future war, with all the interests of civilisation and the conditions of peoples terrible than this war had been. Unless there was, with the increase of power in men, an increase also of restraint, the increase of power would work to their destruction. The same powers were operating already that had brought about wars in the past, but they had not killed them. What was wanted was an organisation like the League of Nations to make effective the conditions of peoples to prevent war. "To overcome the old temptations to dispute between nations," he added, "the people of the nations must be more united than the man and small forces that are at war to keep them apart. Our people, and people who have been comrades with us in the war, have been great in war. They must be great in peace as they have been great in adversity, but we must be great also in peace. We have been great in war; we must be great in peace." Lord Robert Cecil, in a tribute to Lord Robert Cecil, whose work, Paris, he said, had been distinguished by purity of motive, said that Germany would not sign.

NAVAL OFFICER AND LORD ROBERT CECIL.

There was considerable interruption during Lord Robert Cecil's speech. Some women included a great fuss to attend the Treaty. If the course of the campaign be successfully followed, the Republican leaders should take the result may finally be the conclusion by America of a separate Peace Treaty with Germany. It is expected that a very interesting debate will take place. It is thought in some quarters that the intention is to kill the Covenant of the League after having divorced it from the rest of the Treaty. The Committee eliminated from the resolution the section which pledges the United States to come to the rescue of the Allies in the event of a future war of aggression, it being thought that this clause was unnecessary.

THE ITALIAN CLAIMS.

Signor Orlando, says a Paris telegram, has left for Rome, where, according to the *Matin*, he will take part in the discussion of the Italian Chamber, summoned in consequence of the unsuccessful issue of the Italian claims.

THE ALLIES AND ADMIRAL KOLTCHAK.

The Press Association's Paris Correspondent, telegraphing on Thursday, says—The Council of Four has decided to give Admiral Koltchak and his associates the assistance which they promised them, on condition they give us their Note of May 26th. This does not imply recognition of Admiral Koltchak, in the official sense of the word, for at present he only exercises authority in Siberia, but the Allies' decision will give the Admiral indisputable moral prestige, while it will at the same time guarantee him aid in material, the importance of which will soon be felt.

An important step forward, says an Exchange telegram from Paris, is the recognition of Admiral Koltchak's Government. This recognition is not absolutely formal, since the Note says that the Allied and Associated Powers are disposed to give him assistance, if he is now the leader, but it is not easy to discover what form the recognition will take. It will, no doubt, be of a moral and financial character. It certainly will not take the form of any kind of intervention in Russia.

THE TURKISH DELEGATION.

A Press Association telegram, dated Paris, Tuesday, says—Riza Tewfik Bey, a member of the Turkish Delegation, this afternoon called upon M. Pichon, at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, on the telephone, to request that the first meeting of the Armistice Committee should be arranged with as little delay as possible.

GERMAN SOCIAL DEMOCRATS AND THE WAR.

The Copenhagen Correspondent of the Press Association forwards a Berlin telegram of Thursday's date, which says—The Social Democratic Congress at Weimar yesterday passed a resolution on foreign policy, expressing indignation at the *Entente's* demands, as stopping the German nation's economic and cultural development, and making Germany's political existence impossible. The resolution welcomes the decisions of the Berne Conference, and endorses the motion passed in 1915 by the Socialists in Entente countries, which set out the causes of the war. As regards the establishment of personal responsibility for the outbreak of war, and the manner in which the war was conducted, the Congress demands of the Government ruthless action.

Herr Edward Bernstein, addressing the Congress, said—The Peace Terms are the result of four years' war with barbaric means, for which the German Government is a high degree shared responsibility. Had we, on August 4, 1914, refrained from voting or voted differently, millions of men, less would have fallen, and millions would not have been made cripples. (Great commotion and protests.) According to the reports of Prince Lichnowsky and Sir E. Goschen on July 31st, Herr von Bethmann-Hollweg begged the Kaiser, on his knees, to refrain from war—daughter!—but if he had been a man of character he would have resigned

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A LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

VISCOUNT GREY AND THE WORLD'S CHOICE.

LORD R. CECIL'S VIEWS ON GERMANY.

A NAVAL OFFICER'S PROTEST.

Viscount Grey of Falloden and Lord Robert Cecil were the principal speakers at a demonstration on the League of Nations in the Albert Hall, London, last night. Amongst those present were the American Ambassador, Admiral Sir David Beatty, Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Lord Glenconner, and the Ambassadors of Spain, Greece, Russia, and Denmark.

LORD ROBERT CECIL.

Lord Robert Cecil said that it required the horrors of this war to convince the world that nations cannot live for themselves alone. "Do not be blinded by poets and historians," he continued. "There has been a conspiracy, not yet broken down, to deal with the peace by battle and to cover over its horrors. Terrible and disastrous as this war has been, a future war would be a still greater disaster. No one who is not either a criminal or a lunatic will not wish to-day

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All parts of the country were represented, Mr. R. M. Smith presiding.

The conference was called to discuss various matters of great importance to the Irish co-operative movement at present.

The first question discussed was that of agricultural machinery, which had been remitted from a previous conference held last April. It was decided to form a fund for the purpose of experimenting with new agricultural machinery, which it was thought would be suitable to Irish conditions. All societies would contribute to the fund a minimum of £2 10s. per annum, and this would be used for experimental use on machines which had hitherto not been known to Irish farmers. A committee was appointed to administrate the fund, consisting of Mr. P. Kirwan, Stradbally Co-operative Society, representing Leinster; Mr. J. Orphen, Emiscorthy Co-operative Society, representing Leinster; Mr. J. Hunt, Fourmile House Co-operative Society, representing Munster; and Mr. J. McMullen, East Antrim Co-operative Society, representing Ulster, those members to be nominated by the I.A.W.S. were appointed by the meeting. All societies in Ireland will be asked to join and subscribe to the fund, and it is hoped that this will be liberally supported. It is proposed that the subscribing societies can meet in conference at least once annually, and meetings of the Executive Committee will be held as occasion demands. A general discussion on suitable machinery followed, and many machines were recommended to the provisional committee for experimenting. Those machines will be experimented with in due course.

The attitude of the trading community towards co-operative societies was discussed in full detail. It was suggested that organised trade seeks to place the Co-operative Association in the position of a retailer, and to place the local societies in the same position as that of the individual purchaser. These positions would, of course, be intolerable, seeing that the co-operative movement is a trading movement.

The delegates present were of the opinion that the movement must concentrate its strength and must use that strength in defence of its position as a trading movement. The question of the co-operative sale of grain was then discussed by the conference. It was thought that by their co-operative action better prices could be obtained for Irish grain, and the scheme submitted in 1916 was generally approved of.

Some of the delegates suggested that the farmers lost more on the sale of produce than they had gained in combination in other ways, and this made them less keen for the sale of produce a very urgent matter.

It was decided that the I.A.O.S., I.A.W.S., and the Irish Land Commission be asked to appoint committees to procure evidence and draft a scheme for the co-operative handling and sale of grain for such a purpose. At a conference. A letter to this effect was dispatched to the bodies concerned. The marketing of eggs was discussed, and great emphasis was laid on the necessity of good packing materials, so that the eggs should arrive securely at their destination.

The conference then proceeded to discuss the co-operative sale of wool. Investigations made in previous years by the I.A.O.S. and I.A.W.S. were detailed. It is thought that the time has now arrived to set something then suggested in operation. A discussion from various societies have been to Bradford and London during the past year, and these societies should undertake the marketing of wool for their members. Some details of present prices were submitted by the delegates. In this district a "ring" had been formed, and prices fixed at 1s. 7d. per lb. Samples submitted from that district realized 2s. 2d. per lb. in London, and from 2s. 6d. to 2s. 8d. per lb. This variation in prices seemed to suggest that co-operative marketing would be a great improvement on the position of the Irish wool grower. Depots would be established by the various societies, the wool graded, and then exported if necessary, either to Bradford or to London. The opinion of the conference was that London provided a better market.

The following resolution was then adopted by the conference:—"That this conference ask the I.A.W.S. to undertake the business of the co-operative sale of wool, and should immediately notify societies of such intention." A circular to this effect to be sent to all societies and co-operative wool graders appointed as soon as possible.

It was also resolved that the conference request the societies of the I.A.O.S. in working the sale of wool scheme. The conference concluded, Mr. R. M. Smith, director, I.A.W.S., thanking the delegates for their attendance, and expressing regret for the absence of the Chairman of Co-operative Society, Mr. H. Barbour, who was away on other co-operative business, and trusted that the results of the conference would prove a benefit to the local societies and the whole movement generally.

DUBLIN LABOUR DISPUTES.

THE HOTEL STRIKE

The hotel employés, at a general meeting yesterday, unanimously decided to resume work on the following conditions—Wages to be paid those men who had been on strike, £1; 3s. advance from 23s. up to and including 40s.; and 2s. 6d. to those receiving over 40s. They also asked that the management of each house should report upon the hours of work in the establishment and the possibility of reduction, and that these reports should be put before a joint meeting on a date to be agreed upon by both sides. It understood that the employed terms were considered by a meeting of the Hotel and Tourist Association yesterday, and were rejected. The employers' offer of 2s. 6d. increase all round remains open.

DUBLIN DOCKERS' STRIKE SETTLED.

On the understanding, which was faithfully carried out, that the grain elevators would be removed from out of the dock at the Queen's or Origan Head at the Alexandra Basin, the couple of hundred dockers who had gone out on strike returned to their work yesterday, and continued steadily to discharge the mixed freight. Owing to the delay in unloading the cargo of this steamer, she had to be held over her intention of getting away from Dublin to-day, and is unlikely to do so before Tuesday.

CORK CORPORATION CLERKS' STRIKE.

LORD MAYOR'S GRAVE STATEMENT.

At a meeting of the Cork Corporation yesterday the application of the clerical staff, which had gone on strike for higher wages and returned to work pending the consideration of their case by the Council, was severely criticised. The Lord Mayor said the clerks treated them disgracefully. One man, who started in 1914 at £140 per year, was now demanding £3 per week. Last year they struck a maximum rate of 19s. 6d., and they would have to borrow £20,000 from the bank for it. This year the rates would be 22s. 6d. in the £, and they were asked to dismiss workmen in order to increase wages already increased during the war by 300 per cent.

The application of the clerks was sent to a special committee.

STRIKES IN BELFAST.

A number of members of the Belfast Handsewn Bootmakers' Society have come out on strike. They demand an increase of 5s. per pair on men's and women's handsewn boots, and have rejected an offer by the employers of 2s. 6d. on men's boots and 1s. 6d. on women's.

The strike of assistants in the wholesale drapery trade continues, the men declaring that they will accept no settlement unless it is negotiated by the Union. The employers decline to recognise the Union at all.

SALARIES OF MALE AND FEMALE HEAD TEACHERS.

At the conference of the National Association of Head Teachers, concluded at Birmingham yesterday, demands were made for improvements in emoluments and conditions of service as necessary to the satisfactory recruitment of the teachers' ranks.

An animated discussion took place on a resolution demanding equal pay for female and male head teachers. This discussion divided the meeting into opposite camps, and there was a bitter interchange of arguments.

An amendment differentiating the sexes was carried.

ESCAPED LUNATICS AT LARGE IN BANSHA.

Several of the lunatics who escaped following the strike of attendants at Clonmel Asylum have made their appearance in parts of Tipperary district, wandering through the fields and along the roads between Bansha and Cahir. People living by the roadside and children going to and from school are in a state of some alarm, but so far nothing untoward has occurred.

The King has awarded the Edward Medal to Harry Denny, a labourer, who, while working in a quarry, thrust his arms into molten metal to save a fellow-worker who had fallen into a mould.

R.I.C. CADETSHIPS.

Candidates should note that at the last examination the First Place was gained by a pupil of Green Colleges, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Adv.)

THE COAL COMMISSION.

FALLING OUTPUT DISCUSSED.

Further evidence was given yesterday before the Coal Commission sitting at Westminster, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Justice Sankey. Before witnesses were called, the question of the reduction in output was raised by Mr. Balfour, who said that as the matter was of considerable importance it should not be left where it was. If the Commission was not the body to issue a short time page to the request, should set up a body to inquire into it.

The Chairman said he was fully alive to the importance of the question, and said that Mr. Herbert Smith had made searching inquiries in Yorkshire during the interval, and would report later. That somebody ought to make an inquiry into the question of the reduction of output he (the Chairman) thought, and as there were two large consumers on that body the Commission would be quite able to conduct such inquiries.

Evidence was then given by Mr. J. J. Prest, the manager of the Horden Collieries, Ltd.

The Chairman, in explaining the reason for the calling of Mr. Prest, spoke of Mr. Prest's experience as a colliery manager, and referred to a letter addressed to Mr. A. J. Thompson, who had asked him to receive a deputation regarding the building of additional houses in connection with the Blackhall Colliery. In that reply Mr. Prest said—"We do not intend to build any more houses at any collieries, and for this decision you can thank Mr. Smillie and his friends."

The Chairman asked Mr. Prest whether he wished to say anything upon that.

The witness in reply, remarked—"I don't think the letter is ambiguous, sir. It is perfectly frank."

Proceeding, he explained that he wished to state frankly that prior to the Commission being appointed he had in his mind the building of 2,500 houses, of which 600 were actually built. The particular colliery referred to—Blackhall—had cost a great deal of money, and to get 700,000 tons of coal permanent they would have to build houses that would cost roughly £275,000. The total capital expended on that colliery would then be one million sterling. If that colliery were to be nationalised on the terms set forth by Mr. Straker, they would receive as compensation for a new, and one of the best equipped collieries, £166,000. Was it thinkable that a commercial man would dream of building additional houses for a place like that, if that was all the compensation that he would get?

Cross-examined by Mr. Smillie, the witness said that he had nothing whatever to say about the coal getters.

Sir Richard Redmayne, Technical Adviser to the Coal Controller, recalled, said that he adhered to his opinion that the present administration of collieries was extravagant and wasteful. Upon the question of the reduction of output, he said that the fall in output had been very sudden since 1916. He did not think that the insufficient supply of tubs was the cause of the decreased output, but he believed that the wave of falling output followed an advance in wages.

Mr. Hodges challenged this statement, and asked the witness to institute a joint inquiry into the matter.

The witness said that he would be pleased to discuss with any representative of the miners the method by which an inquiry should proceed. The sooner the inquiry was instituted the better.

Mr. Stokes, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, said that the number of shareholders in coal-mining and allied industrial companies was 132,000.

The Commission adjourned until to-day.

THE SICK AND INDIGENT ROOMKEEPERS' SOCIETY.

The long list of contributions acknowledged elsewhere in this issue is a striking tribute to the good work of the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society. For over 128 years this charity has afforded monthly assistance to the deserving poor of all denominations. The Managing Committee, in returning grateful thanks for the generous support accorded to the special appeal, desire to emphasise the fact that every penny subscribed will go direct to the really deserving poor.

CO-OPERATIVE TRADING.

CONFERENCE IN DUBLIN.

THE ATTITUDE OF THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY.

A conference of Irish co-operative societies was held on the premises of the Irish Agricultural Wholesale Society, 151 Thomas street, Dublin, on Wednesday. Representatives from all parts of the country were present, Mr. R. M. Smith presiding.

The conference was called to discuss various matters of great importance to the Irish co-operative movement at present.

The first question discussed was that of agricultural machinery, which had been remitted from a previous conference held last April. It was decided to form a fund for the purpose of experimenting with new agricultural machinery, which it was thought would be suitable to Irish conditions. All societies would contribute to the fund a minimum of £2 10s. per annum, and this would be used for experimental use on machines which had hitherto not been known to Irish farmers. A committee was appointed to administrate the fund, consisting of Mr. P. Kirwan, Stradbally Co-operative Society, representing Leinster; Mr. J. Orphen, Emiscorthy Co-operative Society, representing Leinster; Mr. J. Hunt, Fourmile House Co-operative Society, representing Munster; and Mr. J. McMullen, East Antrim Co-operative Society, representing Ulster, those members to be nominated by the I.A.W.S. were appointed by the meeting. All societies in Ireland will be asked to join and subscribe to the fund, and it is hoped that this will be liberally supported. It is proposed that the subscribing societies can meet in conference at least once annually, and meetings of the Executive Committee will be held as occasion demands. A general discussion on suitable machinery followed, and many machines were recommended to the provisional committee for experimenting. Those machines will be experimented with in due course.

The attitude of the trading community towards co-operative societies was discussed in full detail. It was suggested that organised trade seeks to place the Co-operative Association in the position of a retailer, and to place the local societies in the same position as that of the individual purchaser. These positions would, of course, be intolerable, seeing that the co-operative movement is a trading movement.

The delegates present were of the opinion that the movement must concentrate its strength and must use that strength in defence of its position as a trading movement. The question of the co-operative sale of grain was then discussed by the conference. It was thought that by their co-operative action better prices could be obtained for Irish grain, and the scheme submitted in 1916 was generally approved of.

Some of the delegates suggested that the farmers lost more on the sale of produce than they had gained in combination in other ways, and this made them less keen for the sale of produce a very urgent matter.

It was decided that the I.A.O.S., I.A.W.S., and the Irish Land Commission be asked to appoint committees to procure evidence and draft a scheme for the co-operative handling and sale of grain for such a purpose. At a conference. A letter to this effect was dispatched to the bodies concerned. The marketing of eggs was discussed, and great emphasis was laid on the necessity of good packing materials, so that the eggs should arrive securely at their destination.

The conference then proceeded to discuss the co-operative sale of wool. Investigations made in previous years by the I.A.O.S. and I.A.W.S. were detailed. It is thought that the time has now arrived to set something then suggested in operation. A discussion from various societies have been to Bradford and London during the past year, and these societies should undertake the marketing of wool for their members. Some details of present prices were submitted by the delegates. In this district a "ring" had been formed, and prices fixed at 1s. 7d. per lb. Samples submitted from that district realized 2s. 2d. per lb. in London, and from 2s. 6d. to 2s. 8d. per lb. This variation in prices seemed to suggest that co-operative marketing would be a great improvement on the position of the Irish wool grower. Depots would be established by the various societies, the wool graded, and then exported if necessary, either to Bradford or to London. The opinion of the conference was that London provided a better market.

The following resolution was then adopted by the conference:—"That this conference ask the I.A.W.S. to undertake the business of the co-operative sale of wool, and should immediately notify societies of such intention." A circular to this effect to be sent to all societies and co-operative wool graders appointed as soon as possible.

It was also resolved that the conference request the societies of the I.A.O.S. in working the sale of wool scheme. The conference concluded, Mr. R. M. Smith, director, I.A.W.S., thanking the delegates for their attendance, and expressing regret for the absence of the Chairman of Co-operative Society, Mr. H. Barbour, who was away on other co-operative business, and trusted that the results of the conference would prove a benefit to the local societies and the whole movement generally.

DUBLIN LABOUR DISPUTES.

THE HOTEL STRIKE

The hotel employés, at a general meeting yesterday, unanimously decided to resume work on the following conditions—Wages to be paid those men who had been on strike, £1; 3s. advance from 23s. up to and including 40s.; and 2s. 6d. to those receiving over 40s. They also asked that the management of each house should report upon the hours of work in the establishment and the possibility of reduction, and that these reports should be put before a joint meeting on a date to be agreed upon by both sides. It understood that the employed terms were considered by a meeting of the Hotel and Tourist Association yesterday, and were rejected. The employers' offer of 2s. 6d. increase all round remains open.

DUBLIN DOCKERS' STRIKE SETTLED.

On the understanding, which was faithfully carried out, that the grain elevators would be removed from out of the dock at the Queen's or Origan Head at the Alexandra Basin, the couple of hundred dockers who had gone out on strike returned to their work yesterday, and continued steadily to discharge the mixed freight. Owing to the delay in unloading the cargo of this steamer, she had to be held over her intention of getting away from Dublin to-day, and is unlikely to do so before Tuesday.

CORK CORPORATION CLERKS' STRIKE.

LORD MAYOR'S GRAVE STATEMENT.

At a meeting of the Cork Corporation yesterday the application of the clerical staff, which had gone on strike for higher wages and returned to work pending the consideration of their case by the Council, was severely criticised. The Lord Mayor said the clerks treated them disgracefully. One man, who started in 1914 at £140 per year, was now demanding £3 per week. Last year they struck a maximum rate of 19s. 6d., and they would have to borrow £20,000 from the bank for it. This year the rates would be 22s. 6d. in the £, and they were asked to dismiss workmen in order to increase wages already increased during the war by 300 per cent.

The application of the clerks was sent to a special committee.

STRIKES IN BELFAST.

A number of members of the Belfast Handsewn Bootmakers' Society have come out on strike. They demand an increase of 5s. per pair on men's and women's handsewn boots, and have rejected an offer by the employers of 2s. 6d. on men's boots and 1s. 6d. on women's.

The strike of assistants in the wholesale drapery trade continues, the men declaring that they will accept no settlement unless it is negotiated by the Union. The employers decline to recognise the Union at all.

SALARIES OF MALE AND FEMALE HEAD TEACHERS.

At the conference of the National Association of Head Teachers, concluded at Birmingham yesterday, demands were made for improvements in emoluments and conditions of service as necessary to the satisfactory recruitment of the teachers' ranks.

An animated discussion took place on a resolution demanding equal pay for female and male head teachers. This discussion divided the meeting into opposite camps, and there was a bitter interchange of arguments.

An amendment differentiating the sexes was carried.

ESCAPED LUNATICS AT LARGE IN BANSHA.

Several of the lunatics who escaped following the strike of attendants at Clonmel Asylum have made their appearance in parts of Tipperary district, wandering through the fields and along the roads between Bansha and Cahir. People living by the roadside and children going to and from school are in a state of some alarm, but so far nothing untoward has occurred.

The King has awarded the Edward Medal to Harry Denny, a labourer, who, while working in a quarry, thrust his arms into molten metal to save a fellow-worker who had fallen into a mould.

R.I.C. CADETSHIPS.

Candidates should note that at the last examination the First Place was gained by a pupil of Green Colleges, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Adv.)

THE ZOO FETE.

A SUCCESSFUL DAY.

Bright, sunny weather, tempered by a cooling breeze, favoured the *Fête* at the Zoological Gardens, Phœnix Park, yesterday afternoon, when the attendance was greater even than on the opening day. Ladies naturally predominated, but there was a fair sprinkling of khaki, while "hospital blue" was also largely in evidence.

The opening ceremony was performed by the Marchioness of Headfort.

Sir Frederick Moore, President of the Zoological Society, (addressing Lady Headfort) said that on the opening day they poured into her ears the tale of their woes, and certainly he would not inflict them on her again. The position of the *Zoo* was really a very critical one, and but for that fact they would not be there, nor would they have gone to the trouble they had gone to in try to organise that *Fête*. They knew they would not appeal in vain if they had sufficient grounds for that appeal, and now they found the most charming of their charming Irish ladies, headed by her ladyship, had come to their assistance. Their enthusiasm was greater than the previous day by the work they did in spite of the rain. They had amongst those who were assisting them had amongst those who at the critical period that had gone by devoted their energies to the most noble task ever given—to alleviate the sufferings of our wounded soldiers, were it not for the intervention of whom they would not be there that day, representing the first country, as they now were (applause.) As the war was over, and the urgency had disappeared, those ladies were now doing their utmost to aid the lower orders of the universe, and they were going to ensure that, for at least some time to come, the animals in their Zoo would have luxuries. He did not say necessaries, for they had had necessaries all through the war, and there had never been such a thing as a hungry animal, but that had been achieved only with great difficulty. Under those circumstances, he need hardly say that the Council and the members of the Zoological Society were indebted to her ladyship, first of all, for undertaking the task she was running, for winding there on their behalf, and, above all, for coming there that day to wish them good luck in their venture. He had to thank her very much on behalf of the Royal Zoological Society of Ireland. (Applause.)

The Marchioness of Headfort, in declaring the *Fête* open, said—I have been asked to say something to you to-day on behalf of the funds of the Royal Zoological Society of Ireland. I am not going to say very much, because every moment you stay here a keeping you from the pleasures the gardens can offer you; it is also preventing you from spending your money on the many attractions, more especially at our own little zoological side-show, the "White Elephant Stall. We all know the great advantages of these gardens, and the great use they are for education as well as pleasure, and we in Ireland are proud of our Zoological Gardens, and are anxious that they should rank in the first rank of similar institutions everywhere. The Dublin "Zoo" has been a source of joy and interest to generations of your children, and, I hope, and, I believe, you have found it a welcome place of leisure. Thanks to the energy and ability of Sir Frederick Moore, they have with very great difficulty survived the trying time of war, and now it is felt an appeal to your generosity is justified. I am sure we all want the good work to continue, and we should like, if possible, to see these gardens made more attractive, and the collection of animals, birds, etc., even more representative; but it must be remembered that it is not a question of money, and the Society, I believe, is maintained entirely by voluntary contributions. I think that war charities are making a lessened demand on our purses, I think I may confidently appeal to you to-day to support the Zoological Gardens, to see their success which, I believe, attended it on the opening day, under the patronage and encouragement of His Excellency Lord French. To-day let provisions for peaceful enjoyment replace the anxieties of war. The object is an excellent one, the day looks more favourable, and, in declaring this *Fête* open, I must earnestly beg for your generous support. (Applause.)

At the various stalls a busy trade was done, while the other attractions also secured a due share of patronage. Dancing among those were the competitions under the auspices of the 8th Irish Ambulance Brigade and the British Red Cross Society, in the Women's Ambulance Challenge Cup (presented by the Hon. Mrs. Ernest Guinness), the following teams competed—W. and E. Lynch and Co. Nursing Division, Kingstown Nursing Division, Harcourt Nursing Divisions (A and B), and Dorrickstown Nursing Division. The Cookstown Dublin Nos. 1, 2, and 3 teams competed for the British Red Cross Society V.A.D. Challenge Cup (presented by the Countess of Meath) and the County Dublin British Red Cross Society V.A.D. Challenge Cup (presented by Lady Talbot de Malahide); and for the Dublin Ambulance Challenge Cup (the gift of Viscount Iveagh, K.P.) The following men's teams competed—John's Lane Distillery Division, City of Dublin Divisions (A and B), and Shelborne's Division. The judging took place yesterday, and the results will not be made known until to-day, when the joint inspection presentation of prizes will take place in the R.I.C. Barrack Square.

Other features of the afternoon and evening were the half-hour concerts, at which the Marchioness of Headfort sang; the aquatic sports, and the Punch and Judy shows. Taken on the whole, it was the most successful, and the promoters expressed themselves highly gratified with the results.

RE-WRITING THE PEACE TERMS.

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when his advice was not followed. The then British and French Ministers, M. Viviani, M. Malvy, M. Abel Ferry, Sir Edward Grey, Mr. Lloyd George, and Mr. John Burns, quite certainly did not desire war. It was precisely M. Poincaré who, on July 31st, implored the King of England to intervene on behalf of peace. (Laughter.) Unfortunately, we were badly informed on August 4th; but why did we adhere to the wrong policy when we became better informed? The Nationalists now have the upper hand, even everywhere in the enemy States, and the Peace Terms are, therefore, hard, and in part simply impossible, but nine-tenths of them we recognise to be a necessity. (Loud applause.) Herr Scheidemann and Mueller joined.) After all, Herr Scheidemann has just said the same, and that is what the counter-proposals really say.

On renewed interruptions, Herr Bernstein said—Well, then, we will say not nine-tenths but eight-tenths. I did not intend to calculate it so very fully. (Laughter.) Moreover, Belgium and Poland have suffered terribly through the war.

Herr Noske here said—You have not had a word for East Prussia.

Herr Bernstein continued—Contrary to good advice, the German General Staff has abandoned East Prussia very much. In the Western States we have had very enthusiastic patriotism, now declared to be Imperialism. In the East the *Eulenburg* demands the restoration of Poland and its frontiers of 1772. Marx, too, advocated that, and in 1863 Lassalle. Neither must we champion historic rights in so far as they are an injustice to those who live there. The linguistic map corresponds pretty exactly with the *Kaiserin's* demarcation line. (Loud contradictions, and cries of "Nonsense.") More important than language is political feeling, and in this matter men who know the East well say, "No plebiscite; it might turn out badly." The Social Democrats' foreign policy can only be the League of Nations' policy, and Mr. Wilson, too, is pursuing this. On the Polish question, he has committed himself, because he does not know local conditions. The Government ought to have prevented the protest meeting against the oppression of peoples on Whit Saturday in Berlin. Now, we are the fresh champions of freedom want to oppress Ulster. The Flemish Activists are despised by our comrades. The general movement in France and England shows us how our friends there are working. However, it is not unfair, when Germany is asked to admit what she did in 1914. The Alsace-Lorraine question is settled. The Alsace-Lorraine Diet has unanimously decided for France.

Herr Noske here remarked—Previously unanimously for Germany.

Nevertheless, continued Herr Bernstein, I advocated a plebiscite in Alsace-Lorraine, so that the question might be settled, and it has finally done away with. That hatred and mistrust of us exist in the world is no wonder. How long shall we be regarded as Imperial Germans? Should we be in a conflict similar to that of 1914 we should fight for the Republic.

Herr Bernstein, replying subsequently to numerous inquiries, said that he had never said that the present conditions might make it necessary to accept nine-tenths of the enemy's Peace Terms. Replying to Herr Dittmann's question regarding the German troops in Esthonia and Lettland, he said that the order had been given some weeks ago to begin the withdrawal of troops in Esthonia. Two divisions had already been withdrawn from Courland, and were used against the Poles in West Prussia. No German troops were now fighting against the Esthonians and Letts, and all who were in the Baltic Landwehr had lost their German citizenship.

CHINESE RESENTMENT.

ANTI-FOREIGN MOVEMENT.

Reuter's Shanghai Correspondent, telegraphing on Monday, says—The officers and firemen of the Shanghai-Nanking and Shanghai-Nanking-Tientsin railways have decided to strike tonight. The men at Tientsin and Pukow are expected to follow suit. The strike threatens to become general owing to the Peking Government's retaining pro-Japanese officials. The food supplies of Shanghai are restricted, and there is a shortage of coal, supplies being cut off. The students call for the support of the Allied Governments against militarism in the Far East. Anti-foreign placards have been hung in Canton. Shipping in Chinese waters is virtually at a standstill owing to the boycott. There are indications that a general anti-foreign movement is developing.

Tuesday telegram says—The students' strike, combined with a boycott against the Paris settlement of the Shantung question, is assuming a more serious aspect. The students are being joined by the masses. Mill hands, chauffeurs, private servants, labourers, and municipal employés are either striking or threatening to do so. The Municipal Council is taking drastic action, but intervention by Japan under the Treaty of 1901 appears inevitable. There are two baton charges by the police to-day. The water supply is restricted, and food prices are rising rapidly.

UNITED STATES AND JAPAN.

The Washington Correspondent of the *New York Sun* says—Viscount Ishii, the Japanese Ambassador, has left for Tokio, thereby ending his diplomatic mission in Washington. He has not yet resigned, but it is said because of his Government's surprise at American opinion, which has been in favour of China and not of Japan on Far Eastern questions.

WASTE OF TIME IN PARLIAMENT.

IMPRESSIONS OF SIR MAURICE DOCKRELL, M.P.

Sir Maurice Dockrell, M.P., in a statement sent for publication, gives his impressions, as a new member, of the House of Commons. He decided one day to ask questions—from 2.45 to 3.45 p.m.—is, in his opinion, much the most businesslike part of the work done in the House. Much more information of value for fifteen minutes would probably permit of all questions requiring oral reply being dealt with. In view of the appalling waste of time which takes place subsequent to question time, the unfavourable reception given a short time ago to the request for extra fifteen minutes' extension is, he thinks, rather "straining at a gnat and swallowing a camel." The waste of time and work of the nation are wasted in instance by a recent debate on a resolution in reference to Irish Fairs. The resolution was nowhere and conducive to no practical result—was moved at 8.15, and it was 10.45 when the Chief Secretary for Ireland rose to close the debate. The debate was a sheer waste of time. Sir Maurice concludes that the present Parliament ought to be a business Parliament, and that, if its members modelled their speeches upon the clear-thinking and lucid expression of the Leader of the House, the business of the House would be got through in much less time and much more satisfactorily than at present.

TRALEE PRISONER'S ESCAPE.

INGENIOUS METHODS ADOPTED.

A sensational escape of a prisoner named John Brady, with several others, from Tralee Jail was discovered yesterday morning. Accused was arrested on the 31st May by Detective Constable Quinlan, charged with entering the house of Mr. Maurice Keliher, J.P., Cloghermore, the previous night, and stealing therefrom several articles and a bicycle. He was brought before Mr. Wynne, R.M., and remanded in custody till yesterday morning. At 7 o'clock, however, it was discovered that the man had escaped under somewhat surprising circumstances.

It was found that he had succeeded in removing the small pane of glass from his cell door, and by putting his hand through the aperture had managed to unscrew the lock from the outside. His chair and a pair of sheets were missing from the cell. From the position in which these were found afterwards the fugitive seems to have climbed a down-pipe in an adjoining building, brought the sheets and chair with him, and after going along the roof tied one end of the sheet to the boldface of the eve-board at one side, and then flung the chair, attached to the other end of the sheets, across a passageway four wide over a building opposite running parallel and skirting the front garden, and by means of this improvised gangway got on to the opposite roof and let himself down by the rope of sheets. He had only the outer wall leading to the road to encounter next, and he easily scaled this and escaped. It has since been ascertained that the accused offered the stolen bicycle for sale for £10, stating that he would take 50s. down and the balance by instalments.

MADAME MARKIEVICZ ARRESTED.

Madame Markievicz was arrested in Dublin yesterday, and was conveyed to Cork by train. It is stated that she was present at a proclaimed meeting in that city recently.

R.I.C. CONSTABLES' CLAIMS FOR MALICIOUS INJURIES.

At a meeting of the Cork Corporation yesterday it was reported that the total claims for compensation on behalf of Head Constable Clarke for £2,500 and Constable James Hayes for £800 had been lodged. Head Constable Clarke was shot in the head by a man named McNeilus, of Donegal, who afterwards was executed in Cork Male Prison under conditional circumstances on Armistice Day. Constable Hayes was wounded by a Sinn Feiner whom he encountered on his beat.

The King has given directions for the appointment of Lieut.-Col. F. Jenkins (Caledonian Horse) and Nigeria Regiment, to be Colonial Secretary of the Island of Barbados.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE DUBLIN HOUSING INQUIRY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In the report of the evidence at the inquiry by the Local Government Board Inspector yesterday I stated that Dwyer had that fire public-houses were exempted from the Newfoundland street scheme, but my reasons were not reported. They are that public-houses are always fairly good, and are costly to acquire, in one of the Dublin slum clearing schemes one public-house cost £25,000.—Yours, etc.,

C. A. CANNON,
Medical Superintendent Officer of Health.
Public Health Office, Municipal Buildings,
Dublin, June 13th, 1919.

PROBLEMS OF LIGHT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In the report of Their Majesties' visit to Leicester in Wednesday's *Irish Times* your correspondent states that "Their Majesties had explained to them the fascinating principles of the use in this connection of light interference, which was first studied by Sir Isaac Newton in soap bubbles." Newton's theory was that the sensation of light was due to inconceivably minute particles of matter impinging against the retina. It was Dr. Thomas Young who settled the problem by studying soap bubbles, and showed how the colours of these thin films were produced by the interference of direct and reflected trains of light waves. Where the two opposite sets of waves met they interfered with each other, so that some of the waves of colour, usually seen as a white light, were partly stopped and transformed into colour effects. Lord Brougham came forth as a defender of Newton in the Edinburgh Review, and insulted science, and attacked Young. It was not until thirteen years afterwards that Young's magnificent discoveries were repeated by Fresnel, a French scientist, and Brougham's attack on him annulled.—Yours, etc.,

"A READER."

Co. Wicklow, June 13th, 1919.

FARMERS' ENEMIES.

LOSSES FROM INSECTS AND FUNGI.

EFFECTS ON PRODUCTION.

The course we are shaping in our efforts to improve British agriculture, writes our Agricultural Correspondent of *The Times*, implies a possibility that a beginning will be made at the wrong point. The actual scheme is as much a mystery as the policy that underlies it, but there are evidences of activity in certain quarters, and in some directions that can hardly be unconnected with the general movement foreshadowed in the recent statement by the President of the Board of Agriculture in the House of Lords on the expenditure of some millions of money in the next few years.

The immediate and ultimate objections should not be overlooked in considering the situation or in reviewing the method of procedure so far as it can be foreseen. Any attempt to stabilise market fluctuations and irregular distribution of supply by artificial means or by manipulation may force control of production and the associated estimation of costs of production into undue and premature prominence. It may prove to be that the correct perspective should be observed in approaching the great problem of increasing the national food supply by means of which the Government have committed themselves is complex and large, and anyone who can make light of it or see his way through it grasps the magnitude and casts doubts upon his fitness to render useful help in its accomplishment.

There are various ways in which production can be increased and cheapened. The popular impression—and it may not be wrong—is that the most effective way is to apply fertilisers sufficiently, manure wisely, and make a prudent selection of the seeds sown. The importance of applying strict hygienic and sanitary sanitary principles will be obvious; neglect of any of them will be overlooked, and it will be unnecessary to enumerate other operations. At the same time they do not constitute the whole range of effective and necessary operations. The farmer is a specialist and in animal husbandry the health of the live stock—is equally vital, and is quite a distinct field for research. It is also supplied with the teaching of scientific and practical experience. There is perhaps no department of farming in which more could be done to help in the prevention and cure of insect and fungoid attacks on crops and animals. There are instances of a more or less complete and fairly detailed knowledge awaiting investigation, although the study of cause of disease is comparatively new and generally known; but even if these be put aside for the moment it is doubtful if anyone could compute, at any rate, the losses which year by year are attributable to the work of insects and fungi.

DANGERS TO STOCK AND CROPS.

The losses due to fatal diseases are formidable, but they are more readily apparent than those incurred by animals which when they do not cause death, irritate and injure the animal or plant to an extent that hinders and retards its progress and fruitfulness. In the case of crops the effect of these enemies in the orchards will most probably be more serious and costly for every one Possessing a fruit tree knows the havoc that may accrue from insect or fungoid attacks. The matter is not, however, so different in its wider application to the farm. One crop, or variety of crop, may be lost succeeding little to the general supply of food, but few of them are immune, and the farmer has to face the same ordeal year after year with urban traders and consumers. Take one or two fruit trees. He may succeed most years in raising a fair crop, but the yield is thwarted by the work of insect enemies, and the cost of production increased proportionately.

It is the same with the stock. The loss from fatal ailments is probably small in comparison with what results from the attacks of enemies that are hardly noticed, on account of the irritation or the suffering they cause. Cattle and sheep are possibly no more susceptible in this respect than other animals, but the work of the chard, but the effects are more discernible because of the vigorous efforts of the animals to escape from their tormentors.

CURE AND PREVENTION.

The value of curative treatment should not be minimised, especially when it relates to certain animal pests, such as "the fly" in sheep, but the primary object of the scientist should be to learn how to deal with the causes of the evil. Prevention is better than cure. It has been agreed to be the importance of the question, and said that Mr. Herbert Smith had made searching inquiries in Yorkshire during the interval, and would report later. That somebody ought to make an inquiry into the question of the reduction of output he (the Chairman) thought, and as there were two large consumers on that body the Commission would be quite able to conduct such inquiries.

Evidence was then given by Mr. J. J. Prest, the manager of the Horden Collieries, Ltd.

The Chairman, in explaining the reason for the calling of Mr. Prest, spoke of Mr. Prest's experience as a colliery manager, and referred to a letter addressed to Mr. A. J. Thompson, who had asked him to receive a deputation regarding the building of additional houses in connection with the Blackhall Colliery. In that reply Mr. Prest said—"We do not intend to build any more houses at any collieries, and for this decision you can thank Mr. Smillie and his friends."

The Chairman asked Mr. Prest whether he wished to say anything upon that.

The witness in reply, remarked—"I don't think the letter is ambiguous, sir. It is perfectly frank."

Proceeding, he explained that he wished to state frankly that prior to the Commission being appointed he had in his mind the building of 2,500 houses, of which 600 were actually built. The particular colliery referred to—Blackhall—had cost a great deal of money, and to get 700,000 tons of coal permanent they would have to build houses that would cost roughly £275,000. The total capital expended on that colliery would then be one million sterling. If that colliery were to be nationalised on the terms set forth by Mr. Straker, they would receive as compensation for a new, and one of the best equipped collieries, £166,000. Was it thinkable that a commercial man would dream of building additional houses for a place like that, if that was all the compensation that he would get?

Cross-examined by Mr. Smillie, the witness said that he had nothing whatever to say about the coal getters.

Sir Richard Redmayne, Technical Adviser to the Coal Controller, recalled, said that he adhered to his opinion that the present administration of collieries was extravagant and wasteful. Upon the question of the reduction of output, he said that the fall in output had been very sudden since 1916. He did not think that the insufficient supply of tubs was the cause of the decreased output, but he believed that the wave of falling output followed an advance in wages.

Mr. Hodges challenged this statement, and asked the witness to institute a joint inquiry into the matter.

The witness said that he would be pleased to discuss with any representative of the miners the method by which an inquiry should proceed. The sooner the inquiry was instituted the better.

Mr. Stokes, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, said that the number of shareholders in coal-mining and allied industrial companies was 132,000.

The Commission adjourned until to-day.

THE COAL COMMISSION.

FALLING OUTPUT DISCUSSED.

Further evidence was given yesterday before the Coal Commission sitting at Westminster, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Justice Sankey. Before witnesses were called, the question of the reduction in output was raised by Mr. Balfour, who said that as the matter was of considerable importance it should not be left where it was. If the Commission was not the body to issue a short time page to the request, should set up a body to inquire into it.

The Chairman said he was fully alive to the importance of the question, and said that Mr. Herbert Smith had made searching inquiries in Yorkshire during the interval, and would report later. That somebody ought to make an inquiry into the question of the reduction of output he (the Chairman) thought, and as there were two large consumers on that body the Commission would be quite able to conduct such inquiries.

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OREN AND CLERICAL STIPENDS

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

Fashionable Intelligence

R.D.S. AGRICULTURAL SHOW.

CLOSING DAY AT BALLSBRIDGE.

The closing day of the Royal Dublin Society's Show at Ballsbridge yesterday was marked by pleasant weather, and there was consequently a good attendance, the various attractions being enjoyed by a considerable number of country and city visitors. The programme for the day included the general exhibition of machinery in motion, implements and miscellaneous exhibits, show of live stock and dairy produce, a horse shoe-making competition for blacksmiths, a championship competition for butter-makers in the working dairy, an exhibition in the Anglesea Hall of the operations of the "Herman" and Worthington-Gane milking machines, and a practical lecture on Bee-Keeping in the Bee Tent. At 11 a.m. the prizes offered to the live stock attendants were presented to the successful competitors in the Committee Room.

RESULTS.

Horse-Shoeing Competition.—Worshipful Company of Farriers' Silver Medal—Light Horse—Thomas Halligan, Lanavagh, Raith; Bronze Medal—John Molony, Ballynagague, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford. Heavy Horse—John Molony, Ballynagague, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1st; William J. Colman, 1 Camden place, Dublin, 2nd; P. A. Hickey, Rockcliff Cullen, Cork, 3rd.

Worshipful Company of Farriers' Silver Medal—John Keogh, 18 Thomas street, Dublin. Bronze Medal—William J. Colman, 1 Camden place, Dublin.

Horseshoe-Making Competition—Limited to competitors under 25 years of age, and who have never won a prize for shoe-making or shoeing in an open competition—Patrick A. Hickey, Knockfinn, Cullen, Cork (1); Frank Long, 5 Fitzwilliam quay, Ringsend (2); Owen Butler, Merchants' Stables, East Wall, Dublin (3); T. Boyne, Hammond street (reserve); Leo Boyne, 5 Hammond street, Dublin (very highly commended); Patrick Doyle, 25 Tyrconnell terrace, Inchicore (highly commended).

BUTTER-MAKING COMPETITION.

Class 119—Miss Clare Gaugham, Ulster Dairy School, Cookstown, 1st; Miss Alice McDermott, do. 2nd; Miss May Potter, Munster Institute, Cork, 3rd; Miss Gerty McLean, do., 4th.

Butter-making Championship—Miss Clare Gaugham, 1st; Miss May Potter, 2nd; Miss Katie Codd, 3rd; Miss Rachel Gibson, 4th; Miss Gertie McLean, reserved; Miss Gertie Gallagher; Miss Alice Ryan, Miss Alice McDermott, and Miss Eileen McCarthy, very highly commended.

GOATS.

The Arnott Silver Challenge Cup, for best milking goat in the Show, was won by S. E. Heferman, Valeitta, Bray. Reserve, Lady Dunsche.

Milking competition for any variety of goats—S. E. Heferman, 1st; Lady Dunleath, 2nd; Baker Cousins, C.C., Changepike, Ballycastle, Co. Wexford, 3rd.

After trial yesterday morning at the Model Farm, Glasnevin, the judges in the New Impetus Section decided to award the R.D.S. silver medal to Messrs. Hanscomes, Sims, and Jefferies, Ltd., Orwell Works, Ipswich, for their tractor plough.

THE ATTENDANCES.

The attendances at the Show on the four days were—

Tuesday	3,646
Wednesday	7,804
Thursday	9,000
Friday	2,921
Total	20,373

RATHDOWN GUARDIANS.

ELECTION OF HONORARY OFFICERS.

At the annual meeting of the Rathdown Board of Guardians, held yesterday at Loughlaoch Workhouse, Mr. Thomas Clarke, J.P., acting Chairman, was unanimously re-elected, on the motion of Mr. P. J. McCabe, J.P., seconded by Mr. Thomas Kane, J.P., and all J.P. was unanimously re-elected Vice-Chairman, on the motion of Mr. E. Field, seconded by Mr. Thomas Kane, J.P. Mr. Rogan, J.P., was unanimously re-elected, on the motion of Mr. Thos. Clarke, seconded by Mr. B. Rogan, as the Vice-Chairmanship.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

THE RIOTING IN CARDIFF.

ANOTHER DEATH.

A second death occurred yesterday in connection with rioting at Cardiff on Thursday night, the victim being a young man of 20 who died as the result of his injuries in hospital.

Twenty persons were before the Stipendiary Magistrate on a charge of rioting, and, when the charge arising out of the riots. They were four Englishmen, an Anglo-American, and fifteen coloured men. The Englishmen was said to have been arrested while flourishing a razor, was discharged, and the majority of the men were remanded.

Thirty persons, mostly blacks, were remanded on similar charges at Newport (Mon.). During the disturbances on Thursday night, public houses, refreshment, and restaurants were wrecked, and some of the furniture burnt in the streets.

Disturbances between white men and the coloured men were yesterday seen to prise in one month for being in possession of loaded firearms, and 8 months' imprisonment for assaulting a police constable and other acts of assault. Three residents were remanded, charged with street riots, and one of them, a Mr. Cole, was ordered to pay £5 for smashing the windows of a shop kept by a woman whose husband is a native of Malta. All was quiet in the district yesterday.

During yesterday large numbers of coloured men were removed from wrecked houses in Bute Town, from the better quarters, and good many left Cardiff. The police protect the movements of the Arabs and negroes as presented by the Sinn Fein Party. A number of coloured seamen, comprising Somali and Egyptian Arabs, Malays, and West Indians, met at Cardiff Docks, when a resolution was passed calling upon the Government to find them employment, and efforts to counteract the stunting effects of lack of rain in the fruit plantations are unavailing. The early prospects for growing fruit are now likely every day to be further filled, and growers have resolved to defer the costs of the harvest until there is a change in the weather.—(Per Fireth.

FARMERS AND THE DROUGHT.

A LIGHT HAY HARVEST FEARED.

CROPS THIRSTING FOR RAIN

The hopes that were raised recently of a bounteous yield of hay in Ireland were not realised in the country generally. A few localities in Bedfordshire and neighbouring counties experienced a fair yield, but the yield was in perhaps, than was to the liking of farmers and producers—but, broadly, the yield was affected by the drought recently experienced. The need for rain is widespread and acute. On the light soils the crops are burning badly, and the hard surface of the ground is hindering the growth of vegetation, although there is abundant moisture below the top crust.

The hay harvest is at hand—mowing will begin next week, if not this week, in the earlier districts—and the condition of the crops is decidedly disappointing. The drought-resisting sainfoin and lucerne show moderate yields, but there are scattered patches of crops of clover and trefoil, but the common experience is not satisfactory. The meadows are no better. The herbage being short, with an abnormal proportion of flowering plants of low consuming value.

The situation would not be so critical if the rain were to come in the near future, but it is failing that the hay crops will be light at the time when the reserves of old hay are exceptionally small and the requirements great. Pastures are in a similar state, grass being generally scarce where fully stocked. The health of the herds and flocks is good, and the farmers have done well, but keep is rapidly becoming scarce.

FIELD WORK AT A STANDSTILL.

Wheat alone of the rotation crops is resisting the drought with moderate success, but it is not benefiting from the sunshine as it would do. Many fine fields of winter wheat are developing rapidly towards the earing stage, but those of restricted growth are at least as numerous, and, on the whole, rain would make good this crop, the least dependent of all upon the face conditions. Barley and oats are showing unmistakable signs of distress which only an early rain would remove. A light and early harvest is promised if present conditions continue much longer.

Other parts of the farm also are urgently in need of rain. The young mangolds and potatoes are having to struggle hard to make headway, while the later green and catch crops are either in a precarious state or are still sown. Where the land is at all of a adhesive character it is too hard to plough or cultivate, and consequently field work is virtually at a standstill, the teams being employed in carting a little manure to the fields to which it is to be applied in the autumn.

The intensive cultivators and fruit-growers are harassed by the drought. It is not only in present circumstances so force rapid growth of vegetables, and efforts to counteract the stunting effects of lack of rain in the fruit plantations are unavailing. The early prospects for growing fruit are now likely every day to be further filled, and growers have resolved to defer the costs of the harvest until there is a change in the weather.—(Per Fireth.

CITY HOUSING INQUIRY.

The inquiry into the application of the Dublin Corporation for sanction to additional loans for housing schemes for the working classes was resumed by Mr. P. C. Cowan, Chief Engineering Inspector of the Local Government Board, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, yesterday afternoon. Loans were applied for in respect of the following areas:—£138,944, North Clotts; £138,312, Newfoundland street and Mary's lane.

Messrs. John J. Claney, K.C., and P. O'C. White (instructed by Mr. Ignatius Rice, City Law Agent) appeared for the Corporation in support of the application; Mr. Henry Hanna, K.C. (instructed by Mr. James Brady, solicitor), represented the Housing Reform Committee of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce; Mr. A. U. Burke (instructed by Messrs. Stewart and Orr) appeared for the Dublin Citizens' Association; and Mr. W. J. Larkin, President, for the Dublin Tenants' Association.

Alderman Thomas Kelly, M.P., Chairman of the Housing Committee, was first examined, and, in reply to Mr. Clancy, said that he and others of the Committee visited the areas. They went through the houses fairly well on the whole site.

What do you say as to the necessity for the reconstruction of that area by clearing it and afterwards erecting houses on it? If I was not convinced of the necessity of it my name would not be to the report, and I would not recommend it to the Council.

Witness continued to say that, if there was one area that deserved to be decently housed, it was the quay workers. He had made up his mind that if the Corporation did not carry out an improvement scheme there nobody else would. The congestion in that area was very great. The houses there at present were not such as they should be condemned to live in.

At this stage Mr. Larkin protested that he could not hear what the witness was saying, and asked that he should repeat his answers.

Alderman Kelly said that he would do nothing of the sort.

Witness proceeded to explain why the two schemes were taken together, and Mr. Larkin, again interrupting, said that Alderman Kelly ought to speak up. He did not think it was fair. Alderman Kelly was an important witness.

Mr. M. J. O'Leahan (Secretary) proposed—"That in view of the unsatisfactory reply given that day by the National Health Insurance Commissioners in regard to the demand for increased administration allowances, we suggest to approved societies throughout Ireland the advisability of considering immediately the necessity of taking, without further delay, drastic action, so as to secure the object in view." He said their deputation that morning to the Commissioners had been absolutely flouted. They would get nothing unless they fought for it.

Mr. McCarthy (Ranksecrets Society) seconded, and complained that officials of societies had not asked for increased allowances, as they had been promised by the Commissioners.

Witness said that there had been no evictions.

Answering questions as to the matter of the erection of dwellings in suburban areas and the difficulties of workmen's transport, the witness replied that many of the slums he had left they would be inhabited, and it was the first duty of the Corporation to wipe the slums out.

Replying to Mr. Hanna, Alderman Kelly said that, in his opinion, after the experience of a lifetime in Dublin, the working classes liked to live near their work. He did not represent that he knew all the members of the Housing Committee, as some others favoured building on virgin soil. He was for building on slum areas.

Mr. Hanna—Would you not think it advisable to get sites outside the city and build there first before you evict these people? We do not evict the people. It is all very fine to be talking about splendid places outside the Dublin, but remember a lot of people just have to live in the city, and as long as slums are left there they will be lived in.

You can close them? How can we close them?

Alderman Kelly said that conferences were held between representatives of the trade, and all their schemes with regard to slum sites, virgin and sites, and so on, were submitted to them. The slum scheme was discussed at a joint meeting of the Corporation and the Housing Committee. They had not to do to their own body. He gave evidence at the 1900 inquiry, when he said, remember a lot of people just have to live in the city, and as long as slums are left there they will be lived in.

Mr. Hanna—Since 1914 how many houses were erected by the Corporation? The Corporation Church street was opened with 160 houses, Ormond market between 60 and 70. Spitalfields and we are building as hard as we can in other directions.

How many people have been dehoused during that period by the Corporation? I could not say.

How many families were dehoused by the Housing Committee? Many families compelled to remove from the site for re-building were brought back.

In reply to the Inspector, witness said that a present difficulty was the want of money. If they got the money they would give the people places. He thought the Corporation that the citizens had to contribute towards housing was insignificant.

DISREGARD OF MONEY.

Alderman Kelly, answering further questions, said that he did not consider the question of money in regard to housing. The question of money did not appal him.

The Inspector—The housing of the people in Dublin is a terrible problem. Are you the most responsible man on the Committee, not going to regard the cost to the ratepayers—the millions involved in relation to housing? No, not tens of millions nor hundreds of millions.

Is this above you in selecting the areas? The Council.

The Council always does what you recommend? Sometimes they do.

Show me one case in which you were turned down by the Council? Very often we have been turned down.

Re-examined by Mr. Clancy, witness said that the Corporation was the sanitary authority, and had to look after the sanitary needs of the people. In pursuance of that it was his opinion that the Corporation ought to look after the slums, and should have done so generations ago. The removal of the slums was the primary duty of the Corporation. Another duty cast upon them was to look after the housing of the people.

Witness was cross-examined at length by Mr. W. J. Larkin, Dublin Tenants' Association, who asked, in the event of the Newfoundland street scheme being put through, where they were going to house the people.

Witness said that was a matter for later consideration.

Mr. Larkin produced a memorial containing the signatures of 475 residents, which, he said, were forwarded to the Housing Committee, Board, and Alderman Kelly remarked—"I hope they are genuine, because the last memorial you got was not from the people."

Mr. Larkin, who said that he would prove they were genuine, asked how many people were evicted from Spitalfields.

Witness stated that there had been no evictions.

Would it be right to say that the Corporation took the roof off the top of the buildings when the people were working their rents? It may have happened in one case, but that was where a house was absolutely falling.

How many were dispossessed? No one. They got decent dwellings in Spitalfields, Church street, and Ormond Market.

Where are those who were evicted them wholesale? We did not evict them at all.

Mr. Larkin said that there were ten men attached to the licensed trade on the Housing Committee. How many of these publicans attended the meetings?

Witness said that he did not regard members as publicans or Pharisees. Alderman Kelly proceeded to read out the names of the members of the Housing Committee, when Mr. Larkin interrupted.

Alderman Kelly—You had better not be insolent to me. I may tell you. I have borne this with great patience. It is a terrible thing to have to submit to the insolence of being asked questions by a fellow like you.

Mr. Larkin—There are ten licensed publicans on the Committee, and their interests are so involved in the Newfoundland street area that you must leave five public-houses standing on it?

Alderman Kelly stated that unfortunately the value of public-houses had gone up.

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Mr. W. T. Cosgrave, M.P., giving evidence, expressed the opinion that the Newfoundland street area should be scheduled for slum clearance. Nothing could be done on it until the North Lotts buildings were complete. As a matter of fact, every slum area in Dublin ought to be cleared.

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A Washington telegram dated Thursday, states—The Senate has passed the House of Representatives bill granting a million dollars for the upkeep of the railways, and also passed a resolution restoring rate-making power to the Inter-State Commerce Commission. The bill will now go to House of Representatives.

APPROVED INSURANCE SOCIETIES.

CONFERENCE IN DUBLIN.

On Thursday afternoon a conference representative of a number of insurance societies in Ireland approved under the National Health Insurance Act, and affiliated to the Approved Societies' Association of Ireland, was held in Cavendish House, Cavendish row, Dublin, to consider the question of increased benefits and administration allowances, and to elect officers and executive committee. Mr. P. J. Daniel (President) was in the chair.

The report, referring to the efforts made to secure increases in administration allowances and benefits, mentioned that the committee had discussed the question with the Insurance Commissioners, but with no satisfactory result. Legislation on the subject was promised this month, and it was assumed that the long-delayed redress would be immediately fulfilled, and increased administration allowance made retrospectively, as from the beginning of 1918. Alluding to the Health Act, and the steps taken by the Committee to make it effective as regards this country, the report stated that it was far from being comprehensive, and was merely of an experimental nature.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Fleming (Roscommon), the report was adopted.

The Chairman referred to a deputation which had waited that morning on the Insurance Commissioners. In March last resolutions had been passed demanding increases in administration allowances and benefits. The Executive Committee had taken up the matter, and waited on the Commissioners. They had then been promised sympathy, and that morning they had received nothing better than a similar promise. It appeared that the Commissioners wished to wipe out the small societies which were under 100,000 in membership, and that morning the deputation had been met with the suggestion that if they could not work their societies on a 3s. 5d. per head per year administration allowance, the only way that they could be worked would be by nationalisation. He was afraid that in the face of that state of things the societies would be forced into the position of having to take drastic action to bring the Commissioners and the Treasury to their senses.

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LAW REPORTS.

A SEAMAN'S UNNATURAL WILL.

At Nisi Prius yesterday, before Mr. Justice Dodd, the validity of the will of Captain Wm. Birch was the question for decision. Captain Birch was master of the mail steamer Leinster, which was sunk off the Irish coast by a German submarine on the 10th October, 1918. The captain was amongst those who were drowned on that occasion. He had made his will at his home in Holyhead, and it was dated December 14, 1917. By his will he gave his wife and children certain portions of his property, and to a Miss Caroline Barnard, who was a friend, but no relation of his, he bequeathed certain stocks and shares; the residue of his assets he left her in trust for his son, Charles, a schoolboy. Under those circumstances Miss Barnard sought to have the will proved in solemn form. The defendant, Mrs. Louisa Birch, widow of the testator, alleged that the will was not duly executed according to the provisions of the statute, and therefore that it should be condemned.

Mr. Hanna, K.C., and Mr. Chadwick (instructed by Messrs. Longfield, Kelly, and Armstrong) appeared for the defendant.

Mr. Hanna, K.C., with whom was Mr. Newett (instructed by Messrs. W. M. Moore and Son), said the question for decision was whether this was a seaman's will; that was to say whether at the time Captain Birch made the will he was a mariner being at sea. Captain Birch, when not on board his ship, lived at his home, which was called "The Spinnaker," Holyhead. The will was made at Holyhead, where his wife and family lived.

Miss Irene Birch stated that she was one of the ten children of the late Captain Birch. Witness, who was carrying her at the time, came home on holiday in December, 1917. On Friday morning, the 14th of that month, her father brought into the breakfast room a sheet of foolscap paper. It was covered with blotting paper, except the portion where he signed his name. Her father and herself attached their signatures to the paper. He said to witness—"Sign where your father has signed she said—"We have no idea of what we are signing." Her father said—"If you want to know, it is a will." No writing of any kind was to be seen below the blotting paper. At that time her father's residence was at Holyhead for some weeks.

To the Judge—There was no reason why my father should leave us out of his will. We were on good terms with him.

In answer to a question by Mr. Hanna, the witness said that one of the causes—the chief cause—of her father and mother not being on good terms was Miss Barnard.

Mr. Justice Dodd said it seemed strange that a middle-aged man with ten children should leave his money to an unmarried lady.

In answer to Mr. Denning, the witness said that she had stayed at the house of Miss Barnard for a while, and so did her sister.

Mr. Justice Dodd—This requires some explanation why a man should leave his money to the daughter of a friend while he had so many nice daughters of his own.

Mr. Denning—Did your father say that your mother was in receipt of means, to his knowledge, enough to live on?

Miss Barnard Birch corroborated her sister's evidence.

Mr. Richard Jones, Secretary to the City of Dublin Steam Packet Company, told the Court that Captain Birch had been appointed captain in the service of the company on September 11th, 1902. He was in the service of the company that 16th November to 14th December, 1917, and during the interval Captain Birch was supposed to be living at his home in Holyhead, he being all the time in the service of the company. Mrs. Birch died in October, 1918, and his body had never been recovered.

Mr. Thomas Bodd, for the defendant, answering Mr. Hanna, said that she had been entirely dependent upon her husband. She had married him in 1902, a year before the war, and £900 afterwards. While the war was on he used to be home as usual, in December, 1917. There was no truth in the suggestion that she had given way to her husband's wishes in the matter of the difference between her husband and herself was his going to sea. Her husband was a good-tempered man. She had spoken to Miss Barnard about it, but it was not true that she had worked on him. She said that she could do nothing.

Mr. Bodd—Did your husband ever see any difference between you in December, 1917, when he made this will? No. I really think he gave little woman that paper to please her. I do not think he meant it.

Mr. Hanna—He posted it to her as we know.

In reply to the judge, the witness said that her husband was not in the habit of making a will before his death. "The only thing," said witness, "was when he was going to sea he used to leave us women and I objected to it. I told him it only would be a piece of paper."

Mr. Justice Dodd—Your daughter Catherine had been a guest at Miss Barnard's. She was a young lady of twenty-one. Miss Barnard's vested her and her father turned on her, and I think his conduct to her was so far great as three days ago. She died broken-hearted.

Mr. Hanna contended that this will was unmistakable as a seaman's will, for a person making a will was not bound to be at sea, or in port where he stopped on his voyage.

Mr. Justice Dodd said it was a very obvious and unnatural will which required explanation. He reserved judgment.

Alleged Contempt.—In the Land Judge's Court, Dublin, yesterday, in the matter of the estate of Patrick Hedderman, late of Ballycastle, Mr. J. K. Walsh (instructed by Mr. W. Vincent Maxwell) sought an order against Mr. Chas. Dickinson, for an order committing Patrick Joseph Gaffney, Ballycastle, Co. Antrim, for his alleged contempt of Court, inasmuch as that he had disobeyed an order of Mr. Justice Boss, made on the 4th of April last, by which he was directed to deliver up possession of the premises in Charlemont road, Ballycastle, to the executor of Mr. Hedderman. An offer previously made by Mr. Gaffney was refused, inasmuch as that he had been refused by the judge on the ground that it was too late. Mr. Gaffney had refused to leave the premises. Mr. Justice Boss had made an order that if possession of the premises was not given up on or before Saturday next an order for his arrest would forthwith issue. Messrs. Gaffney and Son appeared for the plaintiff. Carlton, Messrs. A. and J. Robinson were the defendants.

Libel Action Against Dublin Alderman.—In the Court of Appeal, before Lord Justice Bonnar and Lord Justice O'Connor, an appeal on behalf of the plaintiff, Sir John Irwin, in his action against Alderman O'Rourke, J.P., of Dublin, was argued. King's Bench Divisional Court refused an application to require the defendant to give further and better particulars as answers to interrogatories concerning the statements published in a speech in the Council of the Dublin Corporation last year, in which he alleged that Sir John Irwin, Chairman of the Hospitals Committee, had ordered an "additional dose of Epsom salts" to be administered to Michael Prince. The appeal was taken from the refusal order of the Lord Chief Justice. Mr. Jonathan Pim, K.C., (instructed by Messrs. J. A. Wilson and C.) appeared for the plaintiff, Messrs. Healy, K.C., and J. Gibson, K.C., (instructed by Mr. Thomas Gibson) appeared for the defendant. Mr. Healy, in the course of his argument in support of the decision of the Court below, objected to what he called the interrogatories. Lord Justice Bonnar. He complained that he was not entitled to deal with the argument. He declined to proceed and left the court. Subsequently Mr. Denning, for the defendant, and at its conclusion the Court allowed the appeal, with costs, holding that the answers were not sufficient.

Disputes about a Professorship.—In the Chancery Division, before Mr. Justice Sankey (the Master of the Rolls) (sitting of Surgeons, Ireland, was in the list before the Court on Friday, the 13th November, 1918, on an interim injunction to restrain the defendants from appointing a successor to the chair of surgery on terms specified in an advertisement dated 6th of November, 1918, and for trial of the action. The action, which has not yet been set down for trial, has been brought by the plaintiffs, Lt.-Colonel Sir Thomas Myles, K.C.M.G., M.D., F.R.C.S.I., and Colonel Dwyer, F.R.C.S.I., for a permanent injunction to restrain the defendants from holding the election in accordance with the terms of the advertisement. Colonel Sir Thomas Myles, who retired from the chair, and Colonel Dwyer, who retired should hold office until the first Tuesday in May, 1919, and then be eligible for re-election from year to year for five years, when the Council intended to declare the chair vacant. A temporary injunction was granted, but it was dissolved on the plaintiffs on the 27th ult., which it was intended should be in force until the trial of the action. When the case was reached it was stated by counsel on both sides that the defendants had agreed not to proceed with the election until after the trial of the action, and that the plaintiffs undertook to speed the trial. Mr. Justice Sankey said he would make an order to the effect of the undertaking being unnecessary. Mr. Wylie, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Pedlow and Sons) appeared for the plaintiffs. Mr. Jellett, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Gordon and Co.) appeared for the defendants.

Value of Land in Roscommon.—In the Land Commission Court, before Mr. Commissioner Fitzgerald, a resumption appeal from the County Roscommon was heard. The tenant was represented by Mr. Gaffney, and the Congested Districts Board. Both parties appealed from the decision of the Sub-Commission, which fixed the resumption price of the demesne lands on the Blackwater at £4,700. The land was used chiefly as a dairy farm, and the last fair rent was fixed at £177 (4 in April, 1910, when Mr. Lake Irish was owner, and said to be worth £1,000 per annum. The value of the holding, which consisted of 255 acres, with buildings, was fixed by Mr. Bodkin at £2,000 to be £2,962, and he thought that if they were not paid up for sale it would fetch a higher price. He based the price that he had mentioned on what a prudent man would give, and not on what a fool would give. Counsel for the tenant cross-examined Mr. P. J. O'Connor auctioneer and valuer, Ballinasloe, who said that he was

FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

There was an all-round better tone and tendency for securities on Change yesterday, although the usual week-end market tended to curtail dealings for the time being. The prospectus of the new Victory Loans engaged a good deal of attention, but not to the detriment of outside securities. The Funds were steady, except for India 3½ p.c., which gave way ½. Banks were firm in tone, especially Royals and Munster and Leinsters, but the latter did not quote. In Breweries, Guinness Ord. again met with support at a fresh recovery, but Dublin Distillers issues continue in offer. Steam securities were firm and busy, with City Steam showing signs of rallying. Maroons were very firm all day. Rails were practically featureless. "Wicklow" Stock was scarce. Dunlop issues were idle, but firm, with Parent Tyre Pref. alone dealt in. Textiles were harder. Calicos touched 18s. White Tomkins advanced, Burkes were firm on the report, and Merchants' Warehousing were also bid for. Tobacco and Oils were firm.

In the Funds, Consols repeated 55¾, and War Loan 5 p.c. 94½, but India 3½ p.c. fell ½ to 66½.

In Banks, Royals rose ½ to 184, but Hibernians fell ½ to 8½, and Stock Stock repeated 20.

Brewery shares were firm, with Guinness Ord. ½ higher at 38½. Dublin Distillers Ord. fell 1s. to 50s., and the Pref. ½ to 5½.

Steam securities were busy. City of Dublin Stock recovered ½ to 179½, while Burns Pref. repeated 16s., and Dundalks 9½.

Maroons closed firm. The Ord. repeated 6½, the Pref. 5½, and Americans 29s. 6d., while Canadians rose ¼d. to 17s., after dealing at 16s. 6d., 16s. 9d.

Home Rails were mostly idle. Great Northern repeated 54½, but the Pref. fell ½ to 72. Great Southern and Western finally eased ½ to 74½, and Midland Great Western repeated 31½. Guaranteed and Deb. Stocks, as well as Barcinal issues, failed to quote.

Tramways were also neglected.

In Dunlops, Parent Tyre Pref. closed 3d. better at 16s. 1½d.-16s. 3d.; and in Drapery Shares, Arnotts Pref. rose ½ to 5½; others quoted were unaltered.

Among Manufacturing Shares, Calicos rose 3d. to 18s. Cottons 5d. to 84s. 3d., and Spinners 6d. to 42s. 3d. Bleachers eased 1s. to 28s. 6d. for a few shares. Coats, at 8½, were firm. Lever Brothers "A" and "B" Pref. were bid better at 21s. 3d. and 21s. 10½d., respectively. Whites, Tomkins rose 1s. to 38s.

In Trading, the Burke Debs. rose ½ to 8½. Irish Civil Service 1 to 22½, and Merchants' Warehousing 1s. 6d. to 35s. A broken lot of Thom Ord. were picked up at 11s., or 1s. under last marking. Burke Pref. at 82s. 6d., Baker Wardell Pref. at 12s., A. Millar and Co. Pref. at 7s., and Dublin South City Markets, at 8s., were all firm. Mexican Eagle Oils repeated 13s. 9d., and Imperial Tobacco 9s., while do. of Canada rose a few pence to 26s. 10d. Irish Packing (6s. 6d. paid) marked 5s. 9d.

BANK OF IRELAND.

Discount ..... 5th April, 1917.
Deposit ..... 21 per cent., 5th April, 1917.

BUSINESS DONE—

Consols	(55¾)	55¾	Bluechers ..... (26.9) *26.6
5% War Loan..	(94½)	94½	Calicos ..... (17/9) 18/-
Do. Bonds	104		Cotts ..... (8/6) 8½
War Bonds (1929)	100½		Sew. Cotton..(Rd.) 1/-
India 3½	(66½)	66½	Fine Spin..... (42/9) 42/3
Bank Ireland..	(183½)	183½	Do. "A" Pref. (20/-) 5/d.
Hibernian Bk.	(8-9)	8½	Lever "A" Pref.
Royal Bank ..	(184½)	184½	(21/4) 21/3
Dub. Dist. Ord.	(51/-)	50/-	Do. "B" Pref.
Do. Pref.	(5½)	5½	(21/9) 21/10½
Guinness	(38½)	38½	White Tomkins
Burns Steam Pref.			(33/-) 34/-
			Baker Wardell
			(12/-) 12/-
City of Dublin Steam			Burke Pref. ..(82/6) 82/6
	(179)	179½	Do. Deb. ..... (8½) 8½
Dundalk Steam.	(9½)	9½	Millar (A.) Pref.
Marconi	(12/6)	12/6	(7/-) 7/-
Do. Pref.	(13/6)	13/6	Thom Ord. ..... (12/-) 11/-
Do. Deferred			City Market Ord.
	16/6	15 17/-	(50/-) 50/-
G.N. Rail.	(54½)	54½	Civil Service Building
Do. Pref.	(72)	72	(22½) 22½
G.S.W. Rail (6%)	(74½)	74½	Merchants Warehouse
M.G.W. Ord.	(31½)	31½	(35/-) 35/-
Parent Pref.			Imperial Tobacco..(90/-) 90/-
	(16½)	16¼ 7/-	Canada Ord. 26/10
Arnotts	(6½)	6½	Irish Packing 5/9
Do. Pref.	(5½)	5½	Dublin Stk. Exch. ..(13½) 13½
Pim Bros.	(7½)	7½	Vickers New Pref. 20/7½
			Do. Wdd. 1/-

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

THE MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed April 5th, 1917) .... 5 p.c.

The appearance of the new loan has not yet had any appreciable effect upon monetary conditions, inasmuch as there were no appearances. Call money offered at 2½ to 3 per cent., and further stock at 3½ per cent. towards the finish. Discount market conditions were steady enough. Short-dated drafts offered at 3½ per cent., while two and three months' bills sold at 3¾ to 3½ per cent. Six months' bills were posted at 3¾ to 3½ per cent.

Bank Rate (discount) charged April 8, 1917 ..... 5 %

60 days (fixed)	3¼ 3¾ %
3 months	3¼ 3½ %
4 months	3¼ 3½ %
6 months	3¼ 3½ %
Loans to bill brokers day to day	2½ 3 %
do. do. for a week	3 3½ %
Deposit allowance: Banks at notice	2½ %
do. Discount houses at call	2½ %

There was a reaction of ¼d. to 5-64d. per oz. in silver for both positions.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BELFAST.—Business Done.—Ld., War Loan, Inscribed, 94½; Great Northern Railway, 4% Debenture Stock, 69½; Do. Preferred Ordinary, 54½; Do. Preferred Deferred, 31½; Belfast Steamship, 44½; Spinners, 42s. 3d.; Whites, Tomkins Ord., 38s. 3d. K Marked in accordance with Treasury regulations, not more than 5 per cent.

BIRMINGHAM.—Market still busy, and movement active. Volcanos 6d. higher at 70s. Swifts, Triumphs, and Components better. Dunlops, 1s. Dunlop dull. Austins, 27/-; B" Pref., 17/9. Belsizes, 34/-; Humbers, 38/-; Company, 24s./-; Pref., 24/-; do. Def., 24s/-; Daracqs, 38/-; Enfields, 42/9; Hamlers, 36/-; do. Pref., 15/3; Premiers, 8/3; Rolls-Royces, 58/9; Rovers, 71/-; Sunbeams, 44/-; Triumphs, 50/-; Small Arms, 38/-; Dunlops, 79/-; Parents, 24/-; do. Def., 68/6; Vauxhalls, 28/6.

DUNLOP'S AND MARCONIS

Special information regarding these two shares has appeared in the

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COMPANY NOTICES.

THE HIBERNIAN FIRE AND GENERAL INSURANCE CO., LTD.

Head Office,
48 AND 49 PARK STREET, DUBLIN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 48 and 49 Park street, in the City of Dublin, on the 24th day of June, 1919, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose for which the Meeting was adjourned at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 19th day of June, 1919, viz. to consider the following Special Resolution:

RESOLUTION.

"That the Memorandum of Association of the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Company, Limited, be altered by substituting for Sub-Section (3) of Clause 3 of the said Memorandum the following sub-section—viz.,

(3) To insure against bodily injury, death, or disablement arising from accidents to human life, but including not in the business of insurance the liability of any employer under the Workmen's Compensation Acts, 1897 to 1906, or the liability of any employer to pay compensation or damages to workmen in respect of employment, and to carry on all kinds of guarantee and indemnity business."

By Order,
W. A. R. CRUISE,
Secretary.

The Notice calling the Meeting for 20th of June is hereby Cancelled.

NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN EXTRA ORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held in the HEAD OFFICE OF THE BANK, 15, VICTORIA STREET, BELFAST, on THURSDAY, 3rd JULY NEXT, at TWELVE o'clock noon, to confirm a further Extra General Meeting will be held at the same place and hour on the following evening, viz. at 6 o'clock, to consider the following Special Resolution:

"Resolved—That the Capital of the Bank be increased by the creation of 12,000 Ordinary Shares of £10 each."

By Order of the Board,
WILLIAM STREN, Secretary.

Belfast, 12th June, 1919.

LONDON STOCKS QUIET.

Output in Lone and week-end influences prevented on the Stock Exchange yesterday was of modest proportions, but general conditions were steady and the undertone quite good. A great deal of interest naturally centred in the terms of the new Loans. There was a rush for the prospectuses, and, while nothing spectacular developed in this respect, it is thought that bold concessions are likely to achieve popular successes, since both offer security, good yield, and capital appreciation. The best feature of the session in Throgmorton Street was the revived strength of Shipping shares.

Changes—Home—Consols, ½ to 55¾; War Loan, ½ to 94½; Falls—Consols, ½ to 55¾; 3½ p.c. War Loan, ½ to 103½; 3½ p.c. India Loan, ½ to 66½.

FOREIGN BONDS UNCERTAIN.—In Foreign market quietly irregular conditions prevailed.

Changes—Falls—French Loan, ½ to 79½; Mexican Fives, 5 to 72.

HOME RAILS DECLINE.—Home Rails remained a quiet and flabby market, many stocks registering moderate declines owing to neglect. Among Trunk and Trade stocks there were scattered losses of 1.

Canadian Pacifics were hesitating at their overnight set-back; and Grand Trunk did not respond to a weaker Irish Railways. There was an all-round fall of a point in Mexican Railway Stocks, which was still affected by the report.

Changes—Falls—Great Central Def., ½ to 38½; R.A. Great Southern, ½ to 67½; Central Argentine, ½ to 74½; Mexican Ordinary, ½ to 15; Falls, Chatham, ½ to 10½; Great Eastern, ½ to 35½; Great Western, ½ to 83½; London and North-Western, ½ to 92½; London and South-Western Def., ½ to 28½; Midland Def., ½ to 55½; South-Eastern Def., ½ to 35½; Bahia Blanca, ½ to 63½; Entre Rios Pref., ½ to 17½; Mexican Rails, 1 to 22½; do. 1st Pref., 1 to 30½; do. Deb., 1 to 32½.

INDUSTRIALS FAIRLY GOOD.—In the Miscellaneous and Industrial sections there were several good features, though the general appearance of the department was flabby. Shipping shares were spotlily strong. P. and O. Def. pocketed 25 points to 500, and Furness Withy were another strong peak, rising 1 to a fresh record. Rubbers were firm at previous levels. Courtaulds settled back ½ to 11½ after a spectacular rise. Breweries and Distilleries were firmer. Distillers Ord. rose ½ to firm at previous levels. Courtaulds settled back ½ to 11½ after a spectacular rise. Breweries and Distilleries were firmer. Distillers Ord. rose ½ to 50s. Fyrotans advanced well to 8½ on circumstantial reports that an official statement confirming the splitting of the shares and the sale of foreign profits would, probably be announced next week. Gordons Ord. dropped to 9, and Pekin Syndicates to 9½. Forestals and Nigers were both firm, the former ex dividend. There was spotlily strong in Breweries. Imperial Tobacco further settled back ½ to 49½. British Americans held around 9½. The Wireless group showed little change; but the Canadian Shares at 17½ were another set up. Meat Shares were bought. British and Argentine rising ½ to 1/6, and Eastmans to 16/6. Armstrongs were neglected.

Changes—Rises—Standard Bank of South Africa, ½ to 15; Mount Cansah, 6d. to 17/-; British Argentine Meat, ½ to 14½; Cargo Fleet, 3d. to 19/-; Eastmans, 1/- to 16/6; Furness Withy, ½ to 48½; Hong Kongs, 3/-; x.d., do. 15/-; paid, 24/6; x.d., Brown Bros., 1/-; Harvey and Partners, 16 x.d.; P. and O. Def., 25 to 500; Allenys Pref. Ord., 1 to 78½; Forestal Land, 2d. x.d.; Shawinigan Water Debs., 1 to 84; Standard Bank of Australasia, 1 to Egypt, ½ to 6½; Bank of Australasia, 1 to 13½; Lloyds Bank, ½ to 27½; British Oil and Cake, ½ to 114; Cwerlaids, ½ to 94; Imperial Tobacco, 1/- to 49½; Rodeys Ord., ½ to 8; Nigers, ½ to 8½.

RUBBER SHARES FLAT.—The price of rubber was unchanged at 1/9 per lb. The week ended up without any recovery in the share market. Business was reduced to a minimum, and was inclined to war on account of the general glance at the list may easily give a misleading impression, owing to deductions of "rights" and "bonus" dodges. For instance, there are cited 41/5, but this was because business dealings are now "ex-bonus" (one share in five), so that there is no real fall. Dealings in Linggas, in their new shape of £1 shares, continued. The price fell to 67/6, but the fall was apparently supposed to be a little uncertain how to value the shares on the new basis; and the tendency is difficult to execute orders at the moment. At the close, Dutch, at 47/-, Java Investment, at 34/-, Sumatra, at 35/-, Malacca, at 46/6, all slew lower compared with the preceding day—in fact, all the quotations given have taken place were in the downward direction.

CLOSING PRICES.

MINING SHARES.

The following are the rises and falls among Mines, which were as idle market.—

African Rands	12/9	Nigel	10/-
Abosso	17/6	Kleinfontein	14/6
Angle-Cont.	1/-	Modder East	1/-
Atalaya Frontier	3/-	Modder Gold	5/6
Bawdwin	1/-	Mng. Corp (Ca.)	1/-
Bin. Hill	1/-	Mount Morgan	10/-
Bin. Hill Ex.	1/-	Nigeria	2/-
Bin. Hill Main	1/-	Nourse Mines	2/-
Burma Corp.	6/-	Rand Mines	5/-
Cent. Cons.	1/-	Rand Rly.	2/6
Chartered	2/-	Rio Tinto	5/-
Cons. Mines	3/-	Sabie Estate	1/-
Crown Mines	2/-	Sulphide	10/-
Champion Reef	5/6	Spanaky	1/-
De Beers	2/-	Tanganyika	4/-
Eastern Akim	1/-	Trans. Cons.	1/-
El Oro	1/-	Wankie	1/-
Hudson's Consol.	1/-	Wahl	2/-
Hampden	1/-	Wolhuter	1/-
Ivanhoe	2/-	Zambesi	1/-

RUBBER SHARES.

Alagar	5/2	14d	Klanang 17/6
Anglo-Dutch	4/-	6d	Lon. Asiatic.. 10½
Anglo-Java	1/-	3d	Malaya Trad. 40/-
Bankdawan	19/-	5d	Merlimau 6/9
Bukit Pasoh	3/9	3d	Rubber Trust 3/-
B. Sembawang	2/6	4½d	Sapumalkanda
Chersonese	3/-	3d	
Jemmore	3/9	4½d	Sialang 7/6
Kamar Pate	3/-	5/7d	Sing. Para. 4/-
Kepitigalla	18/-	1/-	Un. Sendang. 13
Kepong	16/6	6d	

TEA SHARES.—E. Assam, £12 1/6 —6d.; Imperial Ord., 29/9 —2d.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

CORK ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS AND LIGHTING CO.—Dividend on 5 p.c. Cumulative Preference Shares for the half-year ended December, 1918; £6,500 to depreciation and renewals, £4,000 to maintenance reserve, and £3,949 forward.

TRONOH MINES.—Dividend of 1½ per share.

BULLARDS.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., free of tax.

BARNAGORE JUTE.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., free of tax.

RIDGWAYS.—Interim dividend on the Ord. Shares at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

BRITISH AUTOMOBILE TRACTION.—Dividend of 3 per cent. against 4 per cent. for 1917.

UPPER NILE.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent. (2½ per share).

GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH.—Total dividend and bonus of 22 per cent. for 1918, including 6 per cent. already paid.

EX-LANDS, NIGERIA.—Final dividend of 5 per cent., free of income tax; for 1919 an interim dividend of 5 per cent., free of income tax.

COPE BROS. AND CO.—The directors of Cope Brothers and Co., Manufacturing Chemists, Limited, recommend a dividend on the Ord. Shares for the past year at the rate of 7½ per cent. less income tax.

G. H. KENT AND SONS.—Usual dividend at the rate of 6s per cent. per annum on the Cumulative Participating Pref. Shares for the 15 months ended 31st March.

EAGLE STAR AND BRITISH DOMINIONS INSURANCE.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., free of income tax, on the Ord. Shares, in lieu of the half-year ending 30th June.

CALIFORNIAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION.—The Board has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. on the Pref. Stock, and 2½ per cent. in respect of back dividends on the Pref. Stock.

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RUBBER OUTPUTS FOR MAY.

Alece Selangor, 10,500 lbs. (6,131); Abyrne, 57,550 lbs. (36,049); Beseki, 21,785 lbs. (10,879); Bernam Datak, 26,300 lbs. (24,292); Bukit Rajah, Perak, 43,000 lbs. (35,000); Broome Selangor, 43,925 lbs. (38,914); Castlefield, 40,828 lbs. (36,600); Chota, 30,189 lbs. (10,628); Caledonia, 16,304 lbs. (13,175); Devitara, 15,800 lbs. (6,900); Gon Kra, 15,350 lbs. (10,150); Hong Kong, 12,000 lbs. (6,069); Jasin United, 24,409 lbs. (14,970); Kilinghall, 20,000 lbs. (8,000); Kalang, 8,000 lbs. (6,800); Klata Kelisa, 29,250 lbs. (34,400); Klias Kelisa, 10,000 lbs. (8,441); Kinabi, 5,500 lbs. (15,000); Madingley, 22,500 lbs. (12,018); Merton, 14,176 lbs.; Pataling, 9,100 lbs. (5,370); Rembia, 23,166 lbs. (24,433); Sungei Kali, 30,850 lbs. (23,065); Seremban, 26,402 lbs. (69,974); Sungei Gindi, 46,407 lbs. (52,155); Singapure, 49,426 lbs. (42,644); Sampong, 31,608 lbs. (13,964); Selangor River, 68,241 lbs. (56,533); Tanah Datar, 21,005 lbs. (11,009). (Subject to May, 1919, are given in parentheses.)

The Yan Seng Rubber Company, Limited.—The amount of dry rubber harvested on the Yan Seng Estate during the month of May was 56,091 lbs., approximately. The amount for the same month last year was 24,309 lbs. The total amount for seven months was 350,246 lbs. approximately, as compared with 212,911 lbs. for the same period last year.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The prospectus will be issued in the course of a few days of the Manchester Brick and Tile Company, Limited, formed with a capital of £75,000, divided into 65,000 £1 ten per cent. Participating Preference Shares, and 200,000 Ordinary Shares of 1s. each, of which the Anglo-Scottish Investment Trust, Limited, offer for subscription on behalf of the company 50,000 Participating Preference Shares and 200,000 Ordinary Shares at par. The company has been formed to acquire the brick works at Hadenfield, near Manchester, and by the well-known firm of Messrs. J. K. Cooper and Sons, Ltd., and to carry on and extend the business of brick and tile manufacturers and merchants. The Board consists of Colonel Arthur A. J. Barry, C.B.E., M.I.C.E., Major de la Poer Beresford, Horace Rose, the well-known engineer, J. E. Dalgleish-Jones, and J. B. Roach.

Northern Banking Company, Limited.—An extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders will be held in the head office, Victoria street, Belfast, on Thursday, 3rd July, at 12 o'clock, to confirm the resolution of 19th June, and at 6 o'clock, a further extra general meeting will be held at the termination of the meeting to propose resolutions arising thereunder.

A union of interests has been arranged between certain of the principal gas stove makers and John Wright and Eagle Range, Limited. The scheme is matured for effecting a union with two large and progressive companies in the same industry, viz., the Richmond Gas Stove and Meter Co., Ltd., of Warrington and London, and the Leeds Gas Stove Company, Ltd., of Leeds and Luton. For this purpose a new company has been formed under the title "Radiation, Limited" with a nominal share capital of £2,750,000, divided into 1,350,000 £1 ten per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares and 1,400,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, the Preference Shares also being offered as to capital. When the union of interests is completed the issued capital of the new company will be £3,216,615, of which £1,007,575 will be Ordinary Shares and £569,040 will be 6 per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares. The Government of the Treasury has been obtained to this issue.

The Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society, Limited for Australia has received the following cablegram from the Manager for Melbourne, dated 13th June:—"Successful Meeting. Progress same last year. Total funds, £4,900,000. Total income, £1,000,000. New ordinary business, £1,500,000." The bonus is maintained at 35 per cent. compound, according to table and term of policy. The funds have been increased by £274,000, and the total income increased by £92,000. The new business shows a slight decrease.

The directors of Brunner-Mond and Co., Ltd., announce that as the annual general meeting, to be held at the Exchange Station Hotel, Liverpool, on June 20, a resolution will be submitted to increase the nominal capital of the company from £10,000,000 to £16,000,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

GRAIN.—DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Friday.—Very little sign of life or business was manifest here today. The sparse attendance of the trade came in late, and dispersed almost immediately. Throughout the entire, trading in grain appears to be at an almost unprecedented low ebb, and anything passing in of the nature used to mean character. The attitude of sellers continues, and the prices are impossible with regard to what, and it has been stated that an inquiry, re quotations for oats in a certain district, was replied to by the buyer in no mild manner. Very Bulled, and on view.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—Friday.—Nothing doing.

WHEAT and Maize remain at established prices.

BARLEY steady a seller of the old, Chilliwack being, July-August, 93/6 sellers per 440 lbs. America, No. 2, 44 lbs., July-August, 94/6 sellers. Corsica No. 3 Canada Western, July-August, 92/6. Argentine milling, 45 lbs., July-August, 92/6 per 480 lbs. DATE season quite idle.

OATS.—Friday.—The market still remains of a holiday character, there being a small attendance, light business and little or no business done.

DERBY, Friday.—Practically the only business done was in Irish Oats, which, it is reached the maximum quotable price 66/-. No other varieties of oats.

PROVISIONS.—DUBLIN POTATO, Friday.—In the Potato market there is nothing really new. Inadded sound qualities are making prices firmer, and the demand is good. Chiltonians are selling, at uncertain figures. Best quality Duke, Champions, Arran Chiefs, and Arran Consuls, 6/6 to 7/6 per cwt.

LONDON, Friday.—Chiltonians are second delivered for June is in course of distribution; retail 2/0 per 28 pounds, wholesale 1/9 per 28 pounds. Arran Consuls are quotable at 6/6 per cwt. Arran Chiefs, 6/6 per cwt. Kerr's Pinks, 6/6 per cwt. Up-to-date, 6/6 per cwt. Majestic, 6/6 per cwt. Arran Chiefs, 6/6 per cwt. Arran Consuls

AUCTIONS.

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270 ACRES CHOICE MEADOWING LANDS.

TODAY NEXT, 16th JUNE, 1919, at 3 o'clock p.m. for Mrs. Lawlor, at Grange, Lucan—30 Acres very prime 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year and Old Meadows.
SAME DAY, for M. Murray, Esq., at Balgaddy, Clondalkin, at 2 o'clock—8 Acres (4 Acres extra New Meadow, 4 Acres Prime Crop Gate), subject to measurements.
SAME DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for James Hayden, Esq., at Ballyer, Lucan—4 Acres very Choice New Meadow.
TUESDAY, 17th JUNE, 1919, at 12 o'clock precisely, for Jos. McDonnell, Esq., at St. Margaretts, Co. Dublin—30 Acres magnificent 1st Crop Meadows.
WEDNESDAY, 18th JUNE, 1919, at 1 o'clock, for Miss M. McKenna, at Kilbarrack Lodge, Sutton—7 Acres luxuriant New Meadows and 6 Acres 2nd Year Meadows, 13 Acres exceptionally good 2nd Year Meadows.
SAME DAY, at 2.30 p.m., for C. Dunne, Esq.—70 Acres very Superior 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Year Meadows.
FRIDAY, 20th JUNE, at 12 o'clock, for Company (1st Crop, grown from imported seed), 4 Acres very prominent Roadside Meadows and 4 Acres very prominent 2nd Year Meadows.
MONDAY, 23rd JUNE, 1919, at 2.30 p.m. (N.T.), for F. Hoey, Esq., at Burrandown, Mulhuddart—4 Acres extra heavy New Meadow and 12 Acres prime 2nd Year Meadow.
SAME DAY, at 3 p.m., for Mrs. Hurford, at Burrandown—7 Acres of very heavy 2nd Year Meadows.
SAME DAY, at 3.30 p.m., for George Carr, Esq., at Blakestown, Mulhuddart—20 Acres of magnificent 2nd and 3rd Year Meadows in divisions to suit purchasers.
WEDNESDAY, 25th JUNE, at 12 o'clock, for Mrs. Fitzsimons at Coolock—9 Acres of magnificent 1st Crop and 2nd Year Meadows.

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Acres 2nd and 3rd Year Meadows at Clonshaugh, and 14 Acres Meadows at Kilsallaghan; 20 at Oberstown, Tara; 7 at Stenside.
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ATTRACTIVE SALE OF COMPACT GRAZING AND TILLAGE FARM TUBBEMACLUGG, LUCAN, CO. DUBLIN.

WE have been favoured with instructions from the Reps. of the late A. J. Barry, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Salerooms, 4 Haymarket, Dublin, on THURSDAY, JUNE 26th, 1919, at 3 o'clock precisely, the Interest and Goodwill in their compact Holding, situated as above, and containing 34a. 3r. 20p., or thereabouts, subject to the low terminable annuity of £54 14s. to the Irish Land Commission. P.L.V. £77.

The Farm, which is very nicely situated, about one mile from Lucan, two miles from Cobridge, and 7 miles from Dublin, and on the Main road from Lucan to Hazelhatch, is of very rich quality. It is well fenced and divided into conveniently sized fields, all of which adjoin the Main road, and are at present cropped as follows—14 acres of wheat, 13 acres of oats, 16 acres 1st crop meadow, 10 acres 2nd year meadow, 10 acres 3rd year meadow, 10 acres of potatoes, 1 acre mangolds, and the balance under pastures. The 10 acres 3rd year meadow, 10 acres of potatoes, 1 acre mangolds, and the balance under pastures. The 10 acres 3rd year meadow, 10 acres of potatoes, 1 acre mangolds, and the balance under pastures. The Outoffices are spacious, comprising stabling for 5 horses, with loft to hold about 200 bels. of corn, cattle house, implement shed, fowl house, harness room, coach and coal houses, large hay barn to hold 120 tons, etc. From its proximity to the Dublin markets, and being situated in one of the most fertile districts in the county, this property should prove a most ideal and sound investment.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to
Messrs. O'NEILL and COLLINS, Solicitors, 19 Upper Ormond Quay, Dublin. Phone 53.

Brunswick street, Dublin. Phone 53.

SALE OF COMPACT GRASS FARM, GLENCULLEN, CO. DUBLIN.

WE have been favoured with instructions from Hugh Roe, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our office, 4 Haymarket, Dublin, on THURSDAY, 26th JUNE, 1919, at 1.30 o'clock, all the interest in his magnificent calving Grazing Farm, situated as above, and containing 53a. Acres, or thereabouts, subject to the low judicial rent of £25 5s. P.L.V. £50.

The Farm, which is one of the best in the district, adjoins the Main Road leading from Glencullen to Stepaside, and is all covered all in grass of very rich quality, with the exception of about 3 acres under corn. There is a Workman's Cottage on the Holding.

MILEY and MILEY, Solicitors, 13 South Frederick street, Dublin. Phone—Dublin 85.

McKEOWN, MacKEOGH, & CO.

Auctioneers, Factors, Live Stock Salesmen, &c.,
4 HAYMARKET, DUBLIN. PHONE—DUBLIN 3.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.

FURNITURE AUCTION THURSDAY, 26TH JUNE, AT BRYNTEG, KENILWORTH PARK, HAROLD'S CROSS.

THE HOUSE HAVING BEEN SOLD, we are instructed by J. B. Morgan, Esq., TO SELL BY AUCTION, including—Walnut Mirror Back Sideboard, Side Board, Carved Walnut Dining-room Suite, comprising Extra Leather Chairs, and 4 Dining Chairs, in stamped ruby velvet, loose Indian Tapestry Covers for same; Walnut Top-cover Expanding Dining Table, Arm Chair, Bamboo and Oak Occasional Table, Inlaid Mahogany Bow-front Cabinet, with mirror back; Wool Carpet, Inlaid Mahogany Bow-front Cabinet, with mirror back; Wool Carpet, Blemished China Cabinet, with mirror back; Indian Oak Table, Drawing-room Suite in tapestry, comprising Settee, 2 Chairs, Oak Clock, other Angle-Scrolls, Brass and Brass Bar Curbs, Fire Irons, Brass Coal Buckets, Gilt Clock under Glass, ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER COLOUR SE by Poole Adder, Parry Gamnet, and Patchfurd, Engravings, Lace Curtains, Hall Stand and 6 do. Chairs, Set of Hall Chairs, Oak Carved Corner, Aluminium Saucepans, Mulin, Rapp and other Curtains, Brass Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds, Bedroom Furniture, Walnut Bedroom Furniture, Mahogany Bedroom Furniture, Pine Wardrobe, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Oak Wardrobe, with mirror door and Bedroom Furniture, Pine Wardrobe, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Oak Wardrobe, with mirror door and Bedroom Furniture, Pine Wardrobe, Walnut Bedroom Suite, Oak Wardrobe, with mirror door and quantity of Rails, Cutlery, Plated Spoons and Forks, Electric Light Engine, Modern Steam Engine and quantity of Rails, Cutlery, Plated Spoons and Forks, Ornaments, Statue on pedestal, Hurlmwith Self-Sharpening Scythe, Hedge Cutter, Garden Implements, Tea Service, Gramophone, Scales, Sewing Machine, Chair Bed, Mangle, Kitchen Utensils, good Lawn Mower, Garden and other Tools, etc., etc.

On View on previous day from 11 o'clock to 4.30 o'clock.

Also 2 DWELLINGS, Carriage of Sale.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, JULY 3RD. 29 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD.

A SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE on this convenient and popular road, being Sold WITH CLEAR POSSESSION TO PURCHASER. 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, servants' room, bathroom, h. and c., garden in front and rear. Gas and electric. Rent £35 10s. Lease, 92 years to run.

29 RATHMINES ROAD.

A well-situated House, on the best part of the road, looking out over the grounds of Lisnalea House, and containing extensive accommodation, comprising 3 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, servants' room, bathroom (h. and c.), gas and electric light, large garden, stable, 2 w.c.s, kitchen, 3 servants' rooms, pleasure garden in front and rear. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION TO PURCHASER. Sold Free of Rent for a term of 250 years, from 1st November, 1885, at the small rent of £36 4s. Poor Law Valuation, £37.

The House can be seen any day from 2 o'clock to 4 o'clock, or by appointment.

Messrs. TWOMEY and BARBER, 4 Upper Ormond Quay, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

THIS DAY (SATURDAY), JUNE 14, 1919, AND, IN CONTINUATION, ON MONDAY & TUESDAY NEXT, EACH DAY AT ONE O'CLOCK PRECISELY.

JAMES HILL & SON WILL OFFER AT AUCTION WITHIN THEIR WELL-KNOWN ROOMS, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK, ON DATES AS ABOVE,

Well-made Walnut, Ash, and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, with wardrobes of various dimensions; single Mahogany and other Wardrobes; Chests of Drawers, mounted and Cedar Carbery. Bedsteads, Complete with Spring and Wire Mattresses, Feather Beds, 17 Mahogany Sideboard, with carved ends and mirror panel back; 10 fine Oak, Mounted Sideboard, sets of Extending Dining Tables, set of 13 Hall Back Chairs; Grandfather Clocks, Mahogany 8-Piece Bedroom Suite, exceptionally Massive Frame Chesterfield Suite, Mahogany 3-Piece Bedroom Suite, Chesterfield Suite, Chairs, Lady Chair, several Suites of Chairs in antique and other Settees, Bookcases, Wardrobes, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables, Pedestals, Mirrors, Pianos, Hall Stands, Linen Presses, Kitchen Dressers and Cupboards, Kitchen Tables, Chairs, Crockery, Glass, and Ornamental Effects, Oil Paintings, Engravings, Lace Curtains, Brass Fenders, Fire Irons, Music Cabinet, Gilt Console Tables, Nests, Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Framed Occasional Tables, Pedestals, Jardinieres, Bronzes, Statuettes, Bronze Figures, Vases, Bronze Ornaments, Ivory Ornaments, Ivory Figures, Ivory Vases, Ivory Ornaments, Ivory Figures, Ivory Vases, Ivory Ornaments, Ivory Figures, Ivory Vases

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 17TH JUNE.

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, & 8 KENILWORTH RD., RATHGAR

WELL-BUILT, ATTRACTIVE, MODERN HOUSES, IN THE BEST RESIDENTIAL PART OF THE TOWNSHIP. TO BE SOLD SEPARATELY.

Nos. 1 and 8 are semi-detached, and No. 8 has stabling. They contain 2 sittingrooms, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, servant's room, and have large gardens at rear, with rear entrances; electric light. Will be Sold in separate lots—No. 1 subject to £9 2/6 per annum, let at £70 per annum; No. 3 subject to £5 10/- per annum, let at £65; No. 4 subject to £5 10/- per annum, let at £62 10/-; No. 5 subject to £5 6/9 per annum, let at £60; No. 8 let at £65 per annum, and sold subject to £30 16/- per annum. Lease 500 years.

Messrs. FRENCH and FRENCH, Solicitors, 7 St. Stephen's Green.

No. 12 KENILWORTH ROAD, RATHGAR.

GOOD, MODERN HOUSE, TWO BAY WINDOWS,

contains 2 sitting, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, etc., with garden at rear; coach-house and stable, and rear entrance. Held for 850 years from 1865, subject to £4 10/- per annum, and let on lease for 68 years from 1912, at £44 10/- per annum, tenant paying rates and taxes.

FRENCH and FRENCH, Solicitors, 7 St. Stephen's Green.

6 UPPER MOUNT STREET.

A FEW DOORS FROM MERRION SQUARE. POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Held for 141 years from 1794, and sold plenvified from rent. Contains 4 reception and 4 bedrooms, servant's room, kitchen, scullery, etc.; electric light, coachhouse and stable.

HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, 41, 42 Nassau street.

Nos. 114 & 116 MOREHAMPTON RD., DONNYBROOK

ELECTRIC TRAM LINE.

Held under lease for 150 years, from 5th April, 1897, and sold subject to £2 per annum each. Two acres high so basements. Bay windows to roof. Gardens front and rear, and rear entrance. They contain entrance hall, 3 reception rooms, with folding doors; 3 bedrooms and dressingroom, cloakroom, bathroom, with hot and cold water; tiled kitchen, servant's room, pantries, scullery, conchhouse.

No. 114 is semi-detached, and is let at £62 per annum, and possession can be obtained on the 10th September next.

No. 116 is let for five years from 1917 at £65 per annum. The tenant has right of surrender on the 1st May, 1920.

The Houses are let under their present letting value. No. 116 has greenhouse. For full particulars, Orders to View, and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Messrs. HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, Nassau street.

PRIORY LODGE, GROVE AV., BLACKROCK, AND Nos. 15 & 19 GLENART AVENUE, BLACKROCK, GROUND RENTS AND BUILDING GROUND, HAVE BEEN SOLD.

SALE TUESDAY, 24TH JUNE.

SAUNDERSON ESTATE.

THE SALE OF THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN UNAVOIDABLY POSTPONED.

68 LOWER LEESON STREET, CITY RESIDENCE,

WITH POSSESSION.

Contains entrance hall, study, diningroom, 2 drawingrooms, 5 bedrooms, 2 rooms in the return; basement (including kitchen) servant's room, with garden at rear, and stabling for 3 horses. Held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 29th March, 1834, subject to £13 per annum, adjusted to £12 12/- per annum. Possession to purchaser.

JOSEPH E. MACDERMOTT, Solicitor, 21 Nassau street.

ROSENEATH, MILITARY ROAD, KILLINEY

POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

A DETACHED TWO-STOREY VILLA, situated about six minutes' walk from the Railway Station. It contains entrance hall, diningroom and drawingroom, with bay windows and tiled grates; 4 bedrooms bathroom (hot and cold), w.c., kitchen, with close range; servant's room, linen closet, pantry, with hot and cold water, etc. There are greenhouse and vinery, walled-in gardens, stocked with vegetables, an pleasure ground.

POSSESSION IN JULY. Held for 500 years from 1860, and sold subject to £2 per annum.

FRENCH and FRENCH, Solicitors, 7 St. Stephen's Green.

THE BEEBY ESTATE, COUNTY DUBLIN.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, IRELAND.—CHANCERY DIVISION.

SALE BY ORDER OF THE RIGHT HON. THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS, ON TUESDAY, 24TH JUNE, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK, IN JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S ESTATE SALEROOMS, 110 GRAFTON ST., IN EIGHT LOTS, AS FOLLOWS;

LOT 1.—£333 10s. 1D. PER ANNUM,

arising out of about 65 ACRES OF GROUND, BLACKROCK, COUNTY DUBLIN, held for ever, Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £132 1.9½ per annum, comprising almost entire of one side of Main street, Blackrock, Carysfort avenue, including Prince Arthur's Lodge, Upper and Lower George's avenue, Sweetmans avenue, part of lands, St. Joseph's College, Anglesea avenue, etc. All sites upon maps attached to Conditions of Sale. Sub-leased, and producing £455 11.10½ per annum, which, after payment of head rent, leaves a well-secured profit rent of £333 10.1. P.L.V., £5,000.

LOT 2.—£42 PER ANNUM, WITH VALUABLE REVERSION,

arising out of the RETAIL LICENSED HOUSE and PREMISES known as No. 1 DOLPHIN'S BARN and PREMISES, and rear thereof. ALSO 35 DOLPHIN'S BARN STREET, and Nos. 21, 23, and 28 SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD. All HELD FOR EVER, subject to £11 6.9½ per annum, being sub-leasehold from all rent. Tenant holds for 63 years from 1863 at £42 per annum. This lease has but seven years unexpired from September, 1919. There is a valuable reversion.

LOT 3.—£48 13s. 2½D. PER ANNUM,

arising out of No. 34, 35, 35A, 36, 37 DOLPHIN'S BARN STREET, and 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, and 28 SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD, held for ever (with Lot 2), subject to £11 6.9½, and sold subject to entire of rent, subsisting at rate amounting to £50 per annum.

LOT 4.—£14 12s. 2D. PER ANNUM,

arising out of 4 ACRES 0 ROODS 9 PERCHES, Statute Measure, SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD upon which the houses, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 SALEM TERRACE, 1, 2, 3, and part of 4 CHALGROVE TERRACE, and 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 BOLINTON TERRACE, are built. Held for ever, subject to £1 8s. annum, and sub-leased for ever, reserving a rent of £126 2/9½.

LOT 5.—£16 8s. 4D. PER ANNUM,

payable out of 13a. 1r. 17p., Statute Measure, WITH RESIDENCE thereon, known as ARBOUR FIELD, WINDY ARBOUR, DUNDRUM. Held under Fee-Farm Grant, subject to £57 6.7 per annum, and sub-leased for 999 years at £75 16.1½ per annum.

LOT 6.—£58 16s. 3½D. PER ANNUM,

payable out of 11a. 1r. 24p., WITH RESIDENCE thereon, known as MOUNT OLIVE, OLIVE MOUNT, and HEATHVILLE, WINDY ARBOUR, DUNDRUM, held under Fee-Farm Grants, subject to rents and tithe-rent charge amounting to £55 12.9½ per annum, and sub-leased for ever, reserving a rent of £92 15/10 per annum.

LOT 7.—NOT AT PRESENT FOR SALE.

LOT 8.—£1 14s. 0D. PER ANNUM,

payable out of 1a. 0r. 16p. of LAND AT MILLTOWN BRIDGE, COUNTY DUBLIN. Held for ever, subject to £12 9/6 per annum, and sub-leased for ever at £14 3/6 per annum.

For full particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Messrs. A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, having Carriage of Sale, 24 Dame street, Dublin.

10, 11, & 12 HARDWICKE STREET.

SALE IN TWO LOTS.

Nos. 10 and 11 in one lot, subject to £55 15/6 per annum for both; lease 900 years. No. 12 subject to £9 per year.

No. 10 is let at £1 9/0 per week, equal £75 8/0 per annum. No. 11 at the same rent. No. 12, which is a very large house, in owner's occupation.

Nos. 10 and 11 contain each 7 rooms, with basement, and have coach-house and stabling. No. 12, 10 rooms, with basement, garden, stable, large gateway and yard.

JOHN M. McDOWELL, Solicitor, 188 Great Brunswick street.

41 SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD.

House Let to monthly tenant. Held for 900 years, and Sold free of all rent. Contains 3 sittingrooms, 6 bedrooms, bathroom, servant's room, with garden, coach-house, and stable. Excellent situation. Penny tram to town.

WILTON HOUSE, WILTON PLACE, DUBLIN.

HANDSOME DETACHED RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION.

WILTON HOUSE, closely situated, at the end of Wilton place, overlooking Wilton square. It stands detached, with large garden, tennis ground, and stabling, and contains 3 sittingrooms, 8 bedrooms, bathroom, breakfast parlour, kitchen, 3 large pantries, and good, spacious greenhouse. Purchaser will be given immediate possession. Held from Lord Pembroke for 150 years from 29th September, 1861, at £25 per annum, subject to adjustment.

HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, 41 and 42 Nassau street.

TUESDAY, 15TH JULY.

ESTATE OF CAPTAIN RICHARD ST. JOHN JEFFERYES COLTHURST, FORMERLY THE ESTATE OF CAPTAIN CHARLES NICHOLAS COLTHURST VESEY.

SALE OF GROUND AND OTHER RENTS

OUT OF

HOUSES AND LANDS IN AND NEAR THE TOWN OF LUCAN, COUNTY DUBLIN.

THE SALE WILL COMPRISE ABOUT 47 LOTS,

AND WILL AFFORD

AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTMENT.

THE AUCTION WILL TAKE PLACE ON TUESDAY, 15TH DAY OF JULY, 1919, AT MESSRS. JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S AUCTION ROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN.

THE RENTAL AND PARTICULARS OF SALE ARE BEING PRINTED, AND WILL BE SHORTLY PUBLISHED, WHEN THEY CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE AUCTIONEERS; FROM

ARTHUR HAMILTON, Esq., 40 LOWER DOMINICK ST., DUBLIN; AND FROM

BARRINGTON and SON, Solicitors for Vendor, having Carriage of Sale, 10 Ely Place, Dublin.

SALE TUESDAY, 29TH JULY, 1919.

CO. WESTMEATH.—PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

ESTATE OF TRUSTEES OF THE HONBLE. P. E. J. GREVILLE NUGENT.

VALUABLE RESIDENTIAL ESTATE, COMPRISING TOWNLANDS OF CLONYN, PRINTISTOWN, AND MOORETOWN, CONTAINING 1,129 ACRES 1 ROOD 28 PERCHES, CHIEFLY GRASS LANDS, WELL FENCED, DRAINED, AND WATERED.

ALL HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE.

ALSO THE LANDS OF BILLISTOWN, ADJOINING, CONTAINING 224 ACRES 0 ROODS 6 PERCHES.

HELD FOR THREE LIVES AND SIXTY-ONE YEARS, SUBJECT TO £345 12/6 PER ANNUM; WILL BE SOLD SEPARATELY.

CLONYN ESTATE, the residence of the first Lord Greville, is situated in Co. Westmeath, between Mullingar and Athlone (Co. Meath), being within 3½ miles of Mullingar, and 1½ miles from Station, and about 40 miles from the City of Dublin.

THE VILLAGE OF DELVIN, in which there are Protestant and Catholic churches and post-office, adjoins estate.

THE CASTLE WAS BUILT IN 1874, at a cost of upwards of thirty thousand pounds. It is built of limestone, and is an imposing structure, occupying a most enviable position. It contains square centre hall, with galleries, supported by handsome pillars; 4 reception rooms, 10 principal bedrooms, approached by grand staircase; 21 smaller bedrooms, servants' rooms, baths, etc., etc. The Castle is heated by hot water pipes. Water supply would be required to fit it for occupation.

THE OFFICES are distant about 200 yards from the residence. A large roofed riding school is attached.

THE LANDS, COMPRISING 1,129 ACRES, STATUTE MEASURE, ARE HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE, THEY ARE GOOD SOUND GRASS LANDS, WELL TIMBERED AND WATERED. THEY HAVE BEEN PACTLY TOGETHER, ARE ALL IN HAND, AND PURCHASER WILL BE GIVEN POSSESSION OF THE ENTIRE, SUBJECT TO GRAZING LETTINGS.

THE ESTATE is admirably suited for Horse and Cattle Breeding. The timber is valuable. Portion, carefully marked by a landscape gardener, has been Sold, and partly cut. Purchaser will buy subject to this contract.

THE LANDS OF BILLISTOWN, containing 224 acres, will be Sold separately. They are held under lease, dated 8th August, 1867, having about 38 years unexpired, at a rent of £345 12/6.

Messrs. WHITNEY, MOORE, and KELLER, Solicitors, 46 Kildare street.

ON AN EARLY DATE.

TRUSTEES OF THE LATE GEORGE WILKINSON, Esq.

TEMPLE HILL, KILLINEY, CO. DUBLIN.

ONE OF THE MOST DESIRABLE RESIDENCES IN THIS UNRIVALLED MARINE RESIDENTIAL POSITION, WITH POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Standing detached upon about 4 acres of ground, centrally situated, commanding uninterrupted views of Bray Head and Sugarloaf Mountains; convenient to Railway Station, grounds sloping to seashore. Position leaves nothing to be desired.

ACCOMMODATION comprises square entrance hall, drawing and diningrooms overlooking sea, study, 5 family bedrooms, bathroom, hot and cold water, kitchen, servants' rooms, pantry, etc. Gas and Varley water throughout. Also coachhouse, stabling, and garage in enclosed yard.

The GROUNDS are well sheltered by old timber, and ornamented by flowering shrubs. There is a handsome, solidly-built tea house, enjoying unrivalled views; also greenhouse, fruit trees, etc. There is access to the Strand from grounds by private bridge over railway. Sea bathing and boating can be enjoyed.

The entire is held for 450 years, subject to rent of £45 17/6 per annum. Possession to purchaser.

ARDKILL, KILLINEY.

Standing detached upon about half an acre of ground, occupying a high and healthful position. Held for 497 years, from 24th December, 1858, subject to a ground rent of £6 per annum, and sub-leased on repairing lease for a term of years from 25th December, 1918, at the yearly rent of £20, free of all taxes. A well-built, compact Residence, without basement, containing 3 reception and 5 bedrooms, bathroom, hot and cold water, kitchen, pantries, etc.; good stabling; fruit and flower garden, etc.

For full particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

Messrs. NICHOLSON, PATTERSON, and FREELAND, 46 Queen Anne's Gate, London, S.W. 1.

No. 27 CLAREMONT ROAD, SANDYMOUNT.

Held for 245 years from 25 June, 1864, and sold subject to £8 16/- per annum; let to a yearly tenant at £65 per annum. A double-fronted, semi-detached, Two-storeyed House, with side entrance, and good garden (no basement), bay windows to roof, containing 3 apartments, bathroom, h. and cold water, w.c., etc.

No. 27 PERCY PLACE.

Held for 150 years, from 25th March, 1850, subject to £8 16/- per annum, and sublet for 5 years from 1st February, 1916, at £40 per annum, containing 3 sitting, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and cold water, w.c., kitchen, etc.

J. ROSE BYRNE, Solicitor, 21 Clare street.

EXECUTRIX SALE.—MRS. E. M. HAMILTON, DECEASED. WEDNESDAY NEXT, 18TH JUNE, AND FOLLOWING DAY, "GROSVENOR PARK," LEINSTER ROAD, RATHMINES.

HIGH CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

CATALOGUES NOW READY.

JAMES H. NORTH and CO., having Sold the Residence and Grounds, have received instructions to SELL THE HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, including—Billiard Table by Coghlan, Dublin; Jones range, with lights, marking boards, cues, and accessories; Pianofortes by Broadwood; Chippendale Cabinet; Appointments of Reception and Bedrooms; Oil Paintings by Van Slackenbord, Roffaro, Hogart, Kindermann, De Vinne, Carl Marquesites, P. H. Miller, R. Gilroley, H. Le Hon, Langfillers, Alex. Williams, etc.; Water-colour Drawings, Engravings, Etchings, Needlework, Pictures, etc.; also about 500 Volumes of well-bound Books, including works by Scott, Dickens, and well known authors, Hogarth Moralized, Letters of Jane Austen, the Marchioness of Brinvilliers, Letters of George Sand, Greville Memoirs, Wraxall's Memoirs, Lingard's History of England, Gibbon's Roman Empire, etc., etc.

OTHER EFFECTS, comprising—Rosewood Chiffonier, Mahogany Dining Tables, Chairs, Lawn Mowers, Garden Rollers, Car Sitter, Garden Tools, etc., etc.

On View day previous, from 10 to 5. Sale each day at 12 o'clock. Catalogues 1/- each.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS.

110 GRAFTON STREET.

COUNTY OF LEITRIM. TOWN OF MOHILL (MAIN STREET). SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY OF MAGNIFICENT BUSINESS HOUSES.

SUBSCRIBERS have received instructions from MISS E. NOBLE (who is retiring from business), TO SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY, her TWO VALUABLE BUSINESS HOUSES, with the Business therein attached, situate in Main street, Mohill, as a Going Concern, in One Lot.

The Houses are three-storeyed and slated, with steady licence attached.

The Premises are very extensive, comprising: Bar, Provisions and Grocery, Hardware, Seeds, Glass, Paint and Oil Departments, Stores, Out-Offices, large Galvanised Hay Barn, Turf Shed, extensive Fruit and Vegetable Gardens, stocked with the choicest Fruit Trees.

The Purchaser will be granted a lease for 34 years, subject to a rent of £50.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The Houses, which are situate in the Main street, are noted for the business done therein in the past, and were established in the fifties by the late Mr. David Noble, who carried on an extensive Grocery, Provision, Spirit, and Hardware business. The trade done by the houses at present defies competition, and will worthy of the attention of traders and others desiring to obtain a well-established business premises.

The Spacious Stores, and Out-Offices are in first-class repair, and return an ample rental.

Offers will be received up to the 1st day of July, 1919. On an offer being accepted, the purchaser will have the option of taking over the stock-in-trade and shop fixtures at a valuation.

Purchaser, on being declared, will be required to pay one-fourth the purchase money, with 6 per cent. auction fees.

For further particulars, Conditions of Sale, etc., apply to

R. A. CORSCADDEN, Solicitor, having Carriage of Sale, MOHILL; or to

DAVID O'BRIEN. AUCTIONEER, MOHILL.

CUDDAGH, MOUNTRATH, QUEEN'S COUNTY.

AUCTION SALE of the late Mr. David Martin

ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 2nd, 1919,

Commencing at 3 o'clock (summer time), of a splendid Marshall Traction Set, eight horse-power, Thresher (Williams), Combined Traction Engine, with 4 feet 6 inch thresher, straw lifter, trailer wagon, and elevator, all in tip-top repair; also Setting of 100 Acres of Grazing for 7 months (in two lots of 60 and 40 acres); and we shall offer for Sale 6 Acres Oats, 2 Acres of Barley, and 25 Acres of Aftermath (or shaik) also a varied lot of Cattle, Sheep, Horses, and Pigs, together with Farm Implements.

ORDER OF SALE—Grazing Cattle, at 11 o'clock (summer time).

Grazing Letting, at 13 o'clock.

Shaik, Sheep, Horses, Pigs, and Implements immediately after grazing is out, in the order stated.

TERMS—Five per cent. fee on all except the Lean Stock, on which the fee will be 2½ per cent.

DAVID MERCIER & CO., Auctioneers, BURROW, QUEEN'S COUNTY.

THE OLD GROUND HOTEL, ENNIS.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE TREATY.

THE Hotel contains bar, front and back halls, diningroom, drawingroom, 12 bedrooms, reception room, smoke room, three w.c.s, servants' rooms, pantries, kitchen, and food rooms. There is also a motor house, tea house, stabling for three horses, coal house, large shed, yard and garden. The Premises will be Sold as a Going Concern, fully furnished, with Stock and Waggonette. The garden will supply a sufficient quantity of vegetables for hotel use. The Hotel is situate at O'Connell street, directly opposite the Cathedral, within a short distance of the Ennis Railway Station. It is situate in one of the best business centres in the town of Ennis, the Proprietress, who is retiring, having done a very extensive business there for a considerable number of years. Full particulars as to tenure, etc., can be had from

MICHAEL McMAHON, Auctioneer and Valuer, ENNIS.

COUNTY OF LONGFORD.

SALE OF VERY VALUABLE SEVEN-DAY LICENSED PREMISES IN THE TOWN OF EDGEWORTHSTOWN.

WE have been favoured with instructions from P. J. Joyce, Esq., and Mrs. Joyce, who are changing their residence,

TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, On THURSDAY, 17th JUNE, 1919,

At the hour of Three o'clock (Summer Time), their Interest in their valuable Seven-day Licensed Premises, with a frontage of 72 feet on the main street, and in a very good position, held under Lease for 41 years from 1st May, 1883, at the yearly rent of £46 11/- valuation £26.

The Shop, which is a large one, contains grocery, hardware, and gents' outfitting, and has tarroom attached. This, with a little alteration, for which there is plenty of space, could be made to suit for a Draper Business as well as the Grocery, Hardware, and Spirit Business. There is also a Drink Shop attached.

It contains on the ground floor diningroom, breakfast room, and large kitchen, with range; and on the second floor drawingroom and 7 bedrooms. There is a large double yard, with extensive stabling, and 3 good stores, most of which are concrete floors, with good lofts; also a coachhouse and harness room, and enclosed vegetable garden. The buildings are all in good repair, all of which are slated.

Edgeworthstown is one of the best market and fair towns in the Midlands.

The Auctioneers direct special attention to this very important sale, which affords a great opportunity for any business man, as there is always plenty of business to be done in Edgeworthstown.

Terms—One-fourth the purchase money to be paid by purchaser, with 5 per cent. Commission at time of sale.

For further particulars apply to

P. J. HANNAN, Esq., Solicitor, Longford; or to

HERATY & O'KEEFFE, Auctioneers, EDGEWORTHSTOWN AND BALLINALEE, CO. KILDARE.

COUNTY OF TIPPERARY.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AUCTION OF VALUABLE RESIDENTIAL HOLDING, SITUATE AT LISNAGAUL (within 2½ miles of Bansha).

N. MAHER and SONS are instructed by the Representative of the late Patrick Ryan, deceased, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, as Mr. M. J. HOGANS, BANSHA, on MONDAY, 23rd JUNE, 1919, at the hour of 1.30 o'clock (New Time), all that and those part of the Lands of Lisnagaul, commonly known as Inches Farm, containing 113a. 2r. 1p. of prime Dairy and Fattening Land, with good two-storeyed slated Residence and fine range of out-offices thereon, held at the annual rent of £79 12/6. Poor Law Valuation, £95 10/-.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The Lands are of a deep, rich soil, all in ancient pasture, save 5 acres under tillage, divided into convenient-sized fields, sheltered and fenced with thick whitethorn hedges and with a never-failing water supply. The Holding, which is situate on the Bansha road, is second to none in the district for its dairying properties, while a portion is capable of yielding permanent meadowing, being bounded on one side by the river and on the others by the County road, from which there is access to most of the lands.

The Residence (which is approached by a nice drive) contains diningroom and sittingroom, four bedrooms, servants' room, kitchen, pantry, scullery, etc. The out-offices are all slated and in perfect repair, and consist of Stabling, Coachouse to fit 3 cows, Calf House, Piggery, Fowl House, Barn and Fire House. There is also a Haybarn on the Holding.

The Auctioneers beg to draw the special attention of those in quest of a first-class residential holding in perfect working condition, to the Sale of this attractive Farm, so conveniently situate to Grammar, Churches, and Schools, within 2½ miles of Bansha Railway Station, Tipperary Town, where good Monthly Fairs and Markets are held.

Terms—A deposit of one-fourth the purchase money, with 5 per cent. commission, will be required from purchaser on being declared. For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

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CABBAGE PLANTS.

FLAT DUTCH, DRUMHEAD, DRUMHEAD SAVOY, Strong Plants, 3/3 100, free; 14/- 1,000.

Carriage paid.

RAMSAY, BALLSBRIDGE.

MACARTHUR & CO.'S SALES.

AUCTION NEXT FRIDAY, 20TH JUNE, 1 O'C.

RE GERALD BYRNE, DECEASED.

VALUABLE PROFIT RENT £12 14s. OUT OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, 52 MARY STREET.

A well-secured income of £12 14/- per annum derived out of above Premises, which are in the occupation of Messrs. Nicholson Brothers. This lot should appeal to Careful Investors, being free from trouble and Auctioneers. For further particulars, apply to the AUCTIONEERS, or

Messrs. GERALD BYRNE and CO., Solicitors, 7 Lower Ormond quay.

ESTATE OF JOHN WILLIAMS, DECEASED. ADMINISTRATION SALE

15 BLESSINGTON STREET.

Well built House and Premises, containing ten living rooms and two kitchens (in basement). Held for 500 years from 1st January, 1802. Rent £25 1/6. Poor Law Valuation £25. Six rooms are let to weekly tenants and produce a rental of £1 per week. The remaining apartments are in the occupation of the Vendor. Early possession can be had. The premises are situate on the North-East side of Blessington street; the Phœnix Park tram passes the door. The frontage is 16 feet and depth 100 feet.

W. GEOGHEGAN, M.E.E., D.L., Solicitor, 19 Kildare street.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

SUPERIOR SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE. POSSESSION.

113 RICHMOND ROAD, DRUMCONDRA.

Otherwise known as 2 Palace terrace. Pleasantly situated, overlooking the grounds of Clonliffe College, convenient to Drumcondra tram line. Superiorly erected house, first storey being granite built, a choice residence, hall, w.c., etc., enclosed plot in front, and fine garden at rear; well stocked with fruit and vegetables. Ground rent £6. Lease 500 years.

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RARE OPPORTUNITY.

COSY MEDIUM-SIZED HOUSE. NO RENT FOR EVER.

"IVY HOUSE," CABRA RD., PHIBSBORO'.

Otherwise known as No. 1 McCarthy's Buildings. Coming from Phibsborough Corner, proceed up Cabra road, and take first turn immediately over Railway Bridge, which is within 2 minutes' walk of tram line, and property lies side in back lane at end of terrace. Comfortable semi-detached House, with lawn front and private garden at rear. Rent £4 4/-. Lease 500 years. This is a rare opportunity for a family desirable and reliable investment.

W. P. MAGUIRE, Esq., Solicitor, Enniskillen.

NICE HOUSE. FAVOURITE POSITION.

58 ST. PATRICK'S ROAD, DRUMCONDRA.

Situated on best part of road near St. Alphonsus road. Capital two-storeyed House, red brick front, parlour, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, breakfast room, tiled plot in front, garden at rear, w.c., etc. Ground rent, £4. Long lease.

Above Lot should prove a very desirable and reliable investment.

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A NICE LITTLE HOUSE, WITH POSSESSION,

5 O'CONNELL AVENUE, BERKELEY ROAD.

One storey in front and two storeys at rear, large and lofty parlour, 3 bedrooms, good kitchen, close range, recess presses and cupboard, small apartment off kitchen; railed plot in front of house and nice garden at rear; also wooden shed and trellised summer house. Ground rent £4 4/-. Lease 500 years.

The Auctioneers can with confidence recommend this lot either for home ownership or investment.

YIELD HEAVY PERCENTAGE.

INTERESTS IN LICENSED AND OTHER PREMISES, 11, 11A, 12, 14, & 15 UPPER DOMINICK ST.,

Held practically for ever, subject to the adjusted rent of £51 3/3. Nos. 11 and 11a are let in tenements, No. 12 is let to a monthly tenant, Nos. 14 and 15 are subleased for 50 years, from 4th March, 1861 (at rents of £34 and £35 respectively; the rent, after deduction of Poor Rate, being £47 2/-), the lessee paying rates and taxes.

RENTAL.	
No. 11 Upper Dominick street	£42 18 0
No. 11a Upper Dominick street	41 12 0
No. 12 Upper Dominick street	40 8 0
Nos. 14 and 15 Upper Dominick street	47 0 0
	£172 0 0
Head Rent	£51 3 3
Rates and taxes (1918-19)	36 0 8
	£87 4 1
PROFIT RENT	£84 15 11

The rents payable out of Nos. 14 and 15 are amply secured, the Poor Law Valuation of the two being £65. No. 15 consists of a valuable Licensed house, and No. 14 contains a well-established Stationer's shop. No. 12 contains a Fruiterer's shop.

Messrs. CARL JOYNT and CRAWFORD, Solicitors, 1 and 2 Foster place.

J. T. WOOD LATIMER, Esq., Rent Receiver, 17 Crowe street.

7 STAFFORD ST. REMUNERATIVE INVESTMENT

Shop and House, estimated to produce £1 0/0 weekly, equal to £53 19/- per annum. Ground rent £15. Lease 99 years from 1909. This lot would yield a large percentage.

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AUCTION 11TH JULY. GOOD PAYING AND CONVENIENTLY-SITUATED COTTAGE PROPERTY.

LOT 1.

27, 28, 29, 30, 31, & 32 GUILD STREET.

Situated within a few yards of St. Laurence O'Toole's Church. The houses are one-storey structures, of neat appearance. No. 27 contains a shop, available. Each is let to one tenant, three being monthly tenants, and the other on a weekly.

The total yearly rental from the six tenants come to	£172 0 0
Deduct Head Rent	13 0 0
Profit Rent, free taxes	£159 10 0
Lease about 800 years.	

LOT 2.

2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 AND 14 NIXON STREET.

Off Lower Sheriff street. These are two blocks of single storey Cottages, in an excellent letting locality. The houses are each let to one weekly tenant, and the total yearly rental derivable

from the six properties comes to	£353 4 0
Deduct Head Rent	33 4 0
Profit Rent, free taxes	£300 16 0

There is a great deal of well-paid employment in this district, which causes a constant and increasing demand for the houses, which have always been kept in a high-class state of repair, and a considerable amount of money has regularly been laid out to keep them in up-to-date order.

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FOR SALE IN LOTS TO MEET THE CONVENIENCE OF PURCHASERS.

5, 5A, 6, 6B, 6C, 7, 7A, 7B, 7C, 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D, 9, 10, 11, AND 12 BASIN LANE, UPPER.

ALSO

13, 13A, BASIN LANE, UPR; 5, 6, 7, AND 8 BASIN VIEW, AND 1, 2, 3, 4, 4A, AND STABLES AT REAR OF BRENDEN TERRACE, BASIN LANE, UPPER.

Situated close to South James's street. Further particulars as to the lots and apportioned part of head rent, subject to which they will be Sold, will be announced later.

Messrs. THOMAS F. O'CONNELL and SON, Solicitors, 34 Kildare street.

RE PHEPOE, DECEASED.

21 & 22 BAYVIEW AV., NORTH STRAND.

TWO GOOD LETTING COTTAGE HOUSES. Full particulars in later Advertisements.

Messrs. FRED SUTTON and CO., Solicitors, 52 Dame street.

IMPROVING INVESTMENT. NO GROUND RENT FOR 700 YEARS

TWO NICE COTTAGE HOUSES, WITH BUILDING SITE, 57 & 59 LEINSTER AVE., NORTH STRAND.

Excellent, well-built, Two-Storeyed Houses, red brick front; comfortable parlour, 3 good bedrooms, tiled kitchen, door out; pantry, scullery, range, gas, water, sink, etc. Gardens front and rear. Let at £45. Ground rent, £3. Lease 170 years from 1905.

Property, having been built by Mr. Alexander Strain, is sufficient guarantee as to the reliability of the soundness of the house, which forms a most attractive investment.

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16 MARGUERITE ROAD,

Immediately off Botanic road, 1d. tram to Nelson Pillar. A pleasantly-situated and nicely-planned Modern, Two-storeyed Residence, in very healthy district, which has an elevation of over 200 feet above sea level; 7 cheery apartments, hot bath, nice garden front and rear. Let at £45. Ground rent, £3. Lease about 200 years.

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TWO NICE MODERN HOUSES. SELL SEPARATELY.

45 & 47 CABRA PARK, PHIBSBOROUGH.

Adjacent to Phœnix Park tram line. Elevated, healthy position, close to open country district. Each has 7 apartments, hot bath, pantry, scullery, etc. No. 45 let at £40, and No. 47 let at £42 (monthly tenancies), exclusive of increase of taxes, payable by tenants. Ground rent, £5 each. Lease about 200 years.

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GOOD INVESTMENT FOR SMALL CAPITALISTS.

50 ST. IGNATIUS ROAD,

Adjacent to Dorset street, Canal Bridge. Compact, Modern, Two-storeyed Cottage House, of very lettable class. Presently producing 10/- weekly. Ground rent only £2 yearly. Long lease. Reliable investment, specially suited for small buyer.

1 TO 11 THOMPSON'S COTTAGES, SUMMERHILL.

A COMPACT AND GOOD, PAYING CITY COTTAGE PROPERTY. Full particulars in later Advertisements.

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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

AUCTION 25TH JULY.

WE ARE PREPARING A LARGE GROUP OF PUBLIC SALES FOR ABOVE DATE, AND NUMEROUS PROPERTIES HAVE BEEN ALREADY LISTED. THE FAVOUR OF EARLY INSTRUCTIONS IS RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED FROM OWNERS, SOLICITORS, AND OTHERS DESIROUS OF HAVING LOTS INCLUDED.

OWNER LEAVING IRELAND.

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WEDNESDAY, 25TH JUNE, 12 O'CLOCK, ON THE PREMISES,

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On View 24th, 11 till 4 o'clock.

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STORE CATTLE SALES AT ROSEMOUNT STREET, DUBLIN, EVERY THURSDAY.

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MEADOWS. 13½ ACRES

TO LET, IN ONE OR TWO DIVISIONS, AT TALLAGHT, Opposite the AERODROME.

For Mr. James Lynch.

On FRIDAY, 20th JUNE, Commencing at One o'clock,

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WOOL.

ANNUAL SALE. WEDNESDAY, 25th JUNE.

Consignments should now be sent forward

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MEADOWS. 20 ACRES

TO LET, For Mr. A. LYONS, AT THE WARD, COUNTY DUBLIN, On SATURDAY, 21st JUNE, Commencing at One o'clock,

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17 ACRES 1st and 2nd CROP.

THE WARD.

4½ ACRES 1st CROP.

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